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This index of distribution functions was prepared under the Statistical Engineering Laboratory's program of developing aids for the application of modern statistical methods in the physical sciences. The index is a fairly complete summary of published results on statistical distributions, and should serve to eliminate unnecessary derivation of results already in the literature.



## PREFACE

This index was started in April, 1954 with the limited intention of supplying my students at Auckland University College with a small reference pamphlet. In their study of mathematical statistics it appeared that no text book contained a complete treatment of all the distributions which a student might encounter; my index was supposed to facilitate a quick selection of the appropriate book.

Once started, it was not difficult to continue noting information. I even persuaded myself to spend the summer of 1954-55 in a systematic search of journals. By the beginning of 1955 my interest in the project faltered, and simultaneously the supply of statistical journals available in New Zealand ([a] -- [o] of Table 1) failed. I typed the collected results on stencils and published the index in mimeographed form. During the three years following, I sent out several hundred copies of the index in response to requests; finally the stencils wore out.



At the invitation of the National Bureau of Standards, I spent the summer of 1958 at the Statistical Engineering Laboratory supplementing and editing the index for publication. This work has included:

- (a) Extending the range of journals covered,
- (b) Bringing these up to the end of 1957,
- (c) Collecting items from several additional books,
- (d) Adding information supplied me by readers of the original version, and
- (e) Correcting various mistakes found in the original version.

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## INTRODUCTION

### 1. Organization.

The material given under each distribution consists of a number of entries, most of which are provided with one or more references. In the case of the normal distribution with mean  $m$  and variance  $v$  (No. 1.1) the number of entries is fairly large, and therefore the standard order is most easily seen:

I Functions and constants which characterize the distribution

II Derived distributions

(a) of linear quantities

(b) of quadratic quantities

III Estimation

(a) point

(b) interval

IV Testing statistical hypotheses

(a) by linear statistics

(b) by quadratic statistics

V Miscellaneous

VI "See also"

These categories are by no means always used for less important distributions. With the limited information available a complete listing of the headings in such cases would be wasteful since the majority would be empty. Keeping in mind the above order, it should not be difficult to find



the required entry.

Occasionally an entry will be indented; such an entry should be read as a continuation of the preceding one.

## 2. References.

The references to the literature are of the following types: coded, uncoded, reviews.

### I Coded

(a) Journals, e.g. [c]4:17, which refers to the 17<sup>th</sup> page of the 4<sup>th</sup> volume of the journal designated as [c] in Table 1.

(b) Books, e.g. [12]53, which refers to the 53<sup>rd</sup> page of the book designated as [12] in Table 2.

II Uncoded, e.g. Trans. Am. Math. Soc. 17:382, conforming to the usual volume and page reference style.

### III Reviews

(a) Mathematical Reviews is designated by MR,

(b) Zentralblatt fur Mathematik is designated by Z.

MR and Z references will in no case offer a review of a paper appearing in coded journals and therefore may be considered to indicate publications in obscure (from the point of view of the present work) sources. Moreover, every effort has been made to avoid a MR or Z references to an uncoded paper quoted and very few duplications of this sort should be found.



The choice between direct (i.e. coded or uncoded) and indirect (i.e. review) references is frequently available. The one given is the one which was actually inspected, with all direct references collected before the search of MR and Z. Consequently each entry corresponding to a direct references is based on the paper, and never its review, and each entry corresponding to an indirect reference is based on the review and never the paper.

Since it is difficult to distinguish priority in a large number of references, a chronological table of the coded and review references is provided. This table also exhibits which volumes have been systematically searched in the preparation of this index.

### 3. Criteria for Inclusion

I. Distributions. As a general principle, a distribution is included if its density (or probability) function is a known, explicit function. The following exceptions may be noted:

(a) Certain families of distributions are mentioned, e.g. Pearson and Koopman, whose densities are specified only implicitly.

(b) Certain distributions are mentioned in terms of their cumulative probability function or characteristic function.



II. Entries. The general principle governing the selection of entries is this: that it must exhibit a property of the distribution in question. Exceptions to this rule are generally of one of the following forms:

(a) Historical information about well known distributions, although not systematically sought, may in some circumstances be included.

(b) Important applications, such as those which led to the discovery of the distribution are usually supplied.

(c) Bibliographies

Reference to tables has been excluded in almost every case.

It is clear that applications must be severely limited. With a slight exaggeration, several whole branches of statistics may be considered applications of some particular distribution, as exhibited for example in the following table:

DISTRIBUTION	APPLICATION
Binomial	Quality control
Normal	Analysis of variance
Lognormal	Probit analysis
Poisson	Random processes
Deterministic	Applied mathematics



#### 4. Relationship between distributions

I. Mention. In some cases (such as 2.1 and 2.3) the relationship between two distributions is asserted in their designation. In others (such as 5.3 and 5.15) a very close connection is not pointed out. In the majority of cases, however, known relationships are simply listed among the miscellaneous properties of both.

In choosing between these alternatives, an attempt has been made to reproduce current statistical usage and terminology.

II. Inclusion. Very similar principles have been used to decide for or against independent listing. If one distribution is relatively important and its equivalent much less so (for example Chi-square and Erlang) inclusion has been practiced. In other cases independent reputation seems to justify independent categories.

It must certainly be supposed that many of the trivial distributions of Chapter VIII could be included in some larger category, or even combined with each other. The production of such a systematic classification which would exhibit all connections, even if worth doing, is certainly removed from the purpose of this book, and has hardly been attempted.

For example, it is well known that No. 8.1 contains as special cases all the distributions of Chapters I and II;



very likely it also contains dozens of others listed. Nevertheless to indicate this by a system of sub-headings, applied to all entries, would quickly undermine the utility of the whole work, since it is the special cases rather than the general principle which occur in statistical practice.

## 5. Notation and Terminology

In univariate distributions the stochastic variable is always denoted by  $x$ , in bivariate by  $x$  and  $y$  and in multivariate by  $x_1, \dots, x_k$ , quite regardless of the domain of definition. This departs from the usage of certain authors in two respects:

(a) The letter  $n$  is not used for a discrete variable.

(b) The statistic obeying a particular distribution is not used in the density. For example in Student's "t" distribution we write

$$\left(1 + \frac{x^2}{r}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}(r+1)}$$

rather than

$$\left(1 + \frac{t^2}{r}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}(r+1)}.$$

This practice is justified not only by the need for uniformity but by the belief that the alternative is wasteful of the alphabet:  $t$ ,  $F$ ,  $z$ ,  $D$ , . . . . Similarly we prefer to call distributions by the names of their discoverers (or reputed discoverers) rather than by the symbol used to denote some



statistic found to satisfy them. Of course all known designations will be found in the final index.

In many books the expression  $f(x)$  is employed to denote a probability density. However  $f$  is commonly used in mathematics for an arbitrary function, and therefore we prefer to adopt something more distinctive for this special function, and have selected  $D(x)$  for the purpose.

In the discrete case this replaces the probability distribution, which is often written  $p_n$ .  $C(x)$  is the cumulative function.

When we come to the characteristic function the situation is a little more complicated. Using  $t$  for the variable, statistical works generally have to define several symbols for characteristic functions of various quantities, for example:

- $\chi(t)$  = characteristic function of distribution of  $x$
- $\varphi(t)$  = characteristic function of distribution of  $n\bar{x}$
- $\xi(t)$  = characteristic function of distribution of  $\bar{x}$ , etc.

Since we will be dealing with many different statistics and possibly their characteristic functions, it is more economical and systematic simply to abbreviate by the following system:  $Ch(x)$ ,  $Ch(n\bar{x})$ ,  $Ch(\bar{x})$ , etc. Thus it is not necessary to select a new letter to denote the characteristic function of each new statistic.



However, this practice leads to equations like

$$Ch(x) = e^{-\frac{1}{2}vt^2}$$

which may be offensive to some, however clear the meaning. Such readers are advised to interpret the equality sign as an abbreviation for the verb "is".

This interpretation has another important connection with the notation being used. A variety of verbs have been employed to describe the relation between a stochastic variable and its distribution, for example:

$x$  obeys the normal distribution with mean  $m$  and variance  $v$ ,  
 $x$  follows the normal distribution with mean  $m$  and variance  $v$ ,  
 $x$  is a normal variable with mean  $m$  and variance  $v$ .

It seems equally felicitous to assert this relationship by the convenient abbreviation

$$D(x) = N(m, v)$$

which may, if advantageous for any reason, be regarded not as a mathematical equation but as shorthand. In any case it makes possible an unambiguous condensation of the facts.

Similar remarks apply to the expressions  $MGF(x)$ ,  $FD(p)$  which are used to mean moment generating function of the distribution of  $x$  and fiducial distribution of the parameter  $p$ .



Another application of this use of the equality sign relates to the symbols C.-R.(p), MLE(p), MME(p), UMVUE(p), BANE(p), and is exemplified by the following:

$$\text{C.-R.}(\sigma) = \frac{v}{2n}$$

$$\text{MLE}(v) = s^2.$$

For the meaning of these and other abbreviations, the reader is referred to the List of Abbreviations.



LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

$D(x)$	Density or probability function of a stochastic variable $x$
$C(x)$	Cumulative distribution function of $x$
$Ch(x)$	Characteristic function of distribution of $x$
$MGF(x)$	Moment generating function of distribution of $x$
$PGF(x)$	Probability generating function of $x$
$FD(p)$	Fiducial distribution of a parameter $p$
$m$	Mean of a population
$\bar{x}$	Mean of a sample
$v = \sigma^2$	Variance of a population
$s^2$	Variance of a sample
$\mu_k$	$k^{th}$ central moment of a population
$\alpha_k$	$k^{th}$ moment about the origin for a population
$k_k$	$k^{th}$ cumulant
$r$	Correlation coefficient in a sample
$\rho$	Correlation coefficient in a population
$\xi$	Median
GM	Geometric mean
HM	Harmonic mean
$n$	Number of items in a sample
$\beta$	Slope of regression line in a population
$b$	Slope of regression line in a sample
$\sim$	Asymptotic (= large sample)
$\beta_1, \beta_2$	Pearson's betas



C.-R. (p)	Cramer-Rao lower bound for variances of estimates of the parameter $p$
MLE (p)	Maximum likelihood estimate of the parameter $p$
MME (p)	Minimax estimate of the parameter $p$
$M\chi^2 E(p)$	Minimum Chi-square estimate of the parameter $p$
UMVUE (p)	Uniformly minimum variance unbiased estimate of the parameter $p$
BANE (p)	Best asymptotically normal estimate of the parameter $p$
LR	Likelihood ratio
L	The likelihood function $\prod D(x_j)$
Seq	Sequential
OC	Operating characteristic
BCR	Best critical region
Q	A quadratic form
E	Expectation



## 1.1 NORMAL (m,v)

### I. Functions and parameters

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi v}} e^{-\frac{(x-m)^2}{2v}} \quad [6]108, [5]34, [4]57, [8]91, [9]243$$

$$Ch(x) = \exp(-\frac{1}{2}vt^2 + mit) \quad [1]211, [5]62$$

$$MGF(x) = \exp(\frac{1}{2}vt^2 - tm) \quad [6]112$$

$$\text{Derivatives etc.} \quad [d]2:181$$

$$\text{Transformations} \quad [c]39:290$$

$$\text{Obtained from Pearson's differential equation} \quad [4]72$$

$$\text{Called Type VII} \quad [11]45$$

$$\text{Limit of binomial} \quad [4]58$$

$$\text{Variance of } \bar{x} \text{ and } s^2 \quad [3]42$$

$$\text{Var}(m_3) = 6v^3 n^{-1}, \text{ var}(m_4) = 96v^4 n^{-1} \text{ and many other constants} \quad [2]224$$

$$\text{Calculation of constants and numerical examples} \quad [11]88$$

$$\text{Mean deviation } E|x-m| = (2v/\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}} = .79788\sigma \quad [1]258$$



Probable error = .6745

[4]58

$$\alpha_{2k} = (2k - 1)v^k$$

[5]XII, [8]98

Quasi-range

[d]24:603

## II. Derived distributions

$$D(\bar{x}) = N(m, vn^{-1})$$

[9]270, [6]10.2,

[2]243, [4]100, [w]1:93

$$D(\bar{x}/s)$$

[3]139

$$D[(n-1) s^{-1}(\bar{x} - m)] = \text{Student}(n-1)$$

[6]217, [5]98,

[2]239, [4]112, [w]1:74

$$D[s^{-1}(n-1)^{\frac{1}{2}}(\bar{x} - m_i)], \text{ where } m_i \text{ not all equal}$$

[d]19:406

$$D[(\bar{x} - m)/\text{range}]$$

[d]22:469

D (range) etc.

MR13:762

$$D(\sum k_i x_i) = N(\sum k_i m_i, \sum k_i v_i)$$

[4]99, [8]92

$$\left(\frac{x-m}{\sigma}\right)^2 \text{ is Chi-square, } \left(\frac{x}{\sigma}\right)^2 \text{ is non-}$$

[18]1-150

central Chi-square,  $(x-m)^2$  is Type III, product of normal variables is Bessel, quotient  $\sim$  normal for large  $m/\sigma$



$$D \left[ \frac{m_1 - m_2 (x_1/x_2)}{\sqrt{v_1 + v_2 (x_1^2/x_2^2)}} \right] = N(0,1), \quad m_2 \gg \sigma_2 \quad [2]253$$

$$D(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) = N(m_1 - m_2, v_1/n_1 + v_2/n_2) \quad [4]100$$

$$D \left[ \frac{\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2}{v \left( \frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2} \right)} \right] = N(0,1) \quad [6]263$$

$$D \left[ \frac{(\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2) \sqrt{n_1 + n_2 - 2} \sqrt{n_1 n_2}}{\sqrt{n_1 + n_2} \sqrt{n_1 s_1^2 + n_2 s_2^2}} \right] = \text{Student } (n_1 + n_2 - 2) \quad [4]112, [3]109, 112, [5]98, [c]29:350, [c]33:252, \text{MR8:42}$$

$$D \left[ (n-2) \frac{n_1 (\bar{x}_1 - m_1)^2 + n_2 (\bar{x}_2 - m_2)^2}{s_1 + s_2} \right] \quad [4]132$$

= Snedecor (2, n-2), confidence ellipse

$$D(k^{\text{th}} \text{ value from top}) \quad [1]374, [d]25:565$$

$$D(\text{smallest sample value}) = \text{No. 8.40} \quad [g]42:408$$

$$D\left[\frac{1}{2}v^{-1}(x-a)\right] = \text{Gamma}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \quad [10]150$$

$$D(HM) \quad \text{MR4:164}$$

$$D(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}), D(\sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}) \text{ in special circumstances} \quad \text{MR16:377}$$



$D(\sum x_i^2)$	[1]3:353
$D(\chi^2) = D\left(\sum \frac{x_i - m_i}{\sigma_i}\right)^2 = \chi^2(n)$	[6]10.3
$D(s^2) = \text{Type III } (n/2v, \frac{1}{2}n)$	[d]5:281, [6]10.3
$D[(1/n) \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2]$ - Type III $(\frac{1}{2}nv^{-1}, \frac{1}{2}(n-1))$	[6]10.4
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$$D(n_1 s_1^2 v^{-1} + n_2 s_2^2 v^{-1}) = \chi^2 (n_1 + n_2 - 2),$$

$$D\left(\frac{1}{2} \log \frac{n_1 (n_2 - 1) s_1^2}{n_2 (n_1 - 1) s_2^2}\right) = \text{Fisher } (n_1 - 1, n_2 - 1) \quad [10]198$$

$$D(v^{-1} \sum (n_i - 1) s_i^2) = \chi^2 \quad [4]116$$

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k normal populations with common variance

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Ranking variances

[g]51:621

Distribution of many quantities  
in a wide variety of cases

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Paris 96:262

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MR13:142

D( $\bar{x}, s$ )

[2]238, MR8:161

D( $b_2$ ) for  $n=4$  is hypergeometric

[c]25:411

D( $b_1$ ) for  $n=4$  is hypergeometric

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Quasi-range

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$\bar{x}$  unbiased

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Minimax estimates of m

[d]21:218, [d]22:28

Best "density unbiased" estimate of m

[d]25:399

$\sim$  efficiency of  $\xi$  is .6366

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Estimation of m when it must be integral, etc.

[b]12:192

Mean of  $k^{\text{th}}$  values from top and bottom has  $\sim$  efficiency zero

[1]490

C.-R. ( $\sigma$ ) =  $v(2n)^{-1}$ , hence s is efficient

[2]224

Efficiency of estimates of  $\sigma$

[c]37:182

In estimating  $\sigma$ ,

$$\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}n} \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}n)}{\Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n+1)]} \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum (x_i - m)^2} \text{ is}$$

[1]484

more efficient than

$$\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}n} \frac{\Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-1)]}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}n)} s$$

C.-R. ( $\sigma/m$ )

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$\frac{n}{n-1} s^2$  unbiased for v

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Interval estimation of $m_1 - m_2$ (Behren's Problem)	[3]91, [d]18:601, [d]14:35, [d]15:430, [d]20:616, [d]21:507, [e]4:39, 108, [d]24:390 [p]7:232
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Confidence intervals for $m, v$	[6]227, [3]79
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Power function for Student test	[d]17:192
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Comparison of k means	[t]7:1
Testing whether variance is constant	[y]20:114
Three decision seq. test of m	[y]23:22, Amsterdam Mathematical Centre Stat. Dep. Rep SP34
Testing whether many means are all zero	[e]8:70, [4]176
Testing $\bar{x}_1 - \bar{x}_2$	[i]29:21, [c]41:361
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Linear hypotheses	[c]27:161, [3]292,300
Joint tests	[t]6:25,73
Testing outlying observations	[e]17:67
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Seq. test on $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2$	[e]12:63, [b]11:101
Tests on v	[6]267
Fisher is best for testing $v_1 = v_2$	[3]289



Testing homogeneity of variances

[c]31:250

The most powerful test of

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} H: \sigma = \sigma_0, \quad m \\ \text{Alt: } \sigma = \sigma_1^0, \quad m = m_1 \end{array} \right. \text{ is } \Sigma(x_i - \bar{x})^2 \begin{array}{l} > c \\ < c \end{array}$$

Hypothesis of equality of many  
normal variances

[b]6:89, [c]29:124

Significance of smallest of set  
of variances

[s]10:117

Critical regions for  $m$  and  $v$

[3]278

Bibliography of testing equality  
of variances

[a]109:457

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[e]8:342

OC function

[g]47:191

Power functions of tests

[d]17:189

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same normal population

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Decision problems	[b]15:55
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Independence of $\bar{x}$ and $s$ (Student-Fisher Theorem)	[i]19:108, J. Math. Soc. Jap. 1:111, MR1:346
$s^2$ , $\bar{x}$ independent	[4]108, MR14:775
Normality if and only if $\bar{x}$ and $s^2$ independent	[d]13:91, [d]16:400, [d]13:91, NBS Rep. 2267, J. Math. Soc. Jap. 1:111
Normality if and only if $D(\bar{x}, s) \equiv L \cdot sn^{-2}$	[d]14:197
Normality if $D(x) D(y) = \phi \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$	MR10:125
Various characterizations of normality	[e]13:359, [d]28:126, [i]39:59, [d]27:858, [e]14:180, Am. J. Math. 61:726, Math. Z. 41:405, Z13:214, 3rd Berkeley Symp. 2:195, MR16:1034
Generalization of Student-Fisher Theorem	[i]20:248



Independence of quadratic forms	[o]1:83, Proc. Roy. Soc. Edin. 60:40, [u]30:178, [c]37:93, [c]14:195, [d]15:427, [d]20:119, MR12:509
Bayes theorem	[n]16-1:113
Cochran's theorem	[4]107,68,
More generally	[d]11:100
History of Normal	[c]16:402
History of distribution of s	[c]23:416
Distributions which converge to normality	[d]10:247
Discrete Analogue	[c]44:365
Regression of x and t, where $m = a - be^{-kt}$	[d]18:596
Comparing percentage points of two normals	[d]19:93
k samples	[3]295
Truncated sample	[d]23:237
Sampling from $N(\sum a_k m_k, v)$	[4]160



Max  $\Sigma x_i$ , min  $\Sigma x_i$

[c]40:35

See Also: [d]25:389, [d]1:151, [d]6:197, [d]7:77, [d]10:365,  
[d]13:235, [d]17:483, [d]20:123, [d]21:362, [d]21:557, [d]22:596,  
[d]23:43, [d]23:384, [d]23:547, [d]25:16, [ℓ]3:309, [e]9:6,  
[13]345, [c]10:522, [c]13:287, [c]16:239, [c]24:184, [a]79:455,  
[f]7:23, [c]31:238, [c]34:61,98, [n]5:3, [n]12-3:65, [c]40:116,  
[c]32:226,301, [g]48:550, [d]25:636,698, [v]5:337, [g]51:88,  
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2545, C.R. Acad. Sci. Paris 238:444, [o]1:83, App. Sci. Res.  
(Netherlands) Section A 3:297, J. Franklin Inst. 260:209,  
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Nat. Acad. Sci. 28:297, [y]24:2, Z18:225, MR16:52, MR14:1098,  
Z5:173, Z19:317, MR17:53, [w]7:193.



## 1.2 NORMAL: $N(0, v)$

$$D(x) = (2\pi v)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp(-\frac{1}{2} x^2 v^{-1}) \quad [10]50, [c]31:1$$

$$Ch(x) = \exp(-\frac{1}{2} vt^2) \quad [2]94$$

$$MGF(x) = \exp(\frac{1}{2} vt^2) \quad [2]53$$

$$C(x) \quad [c]25:379$$

$$\alpha_{2k} = \frac{\sigma^{2k} (2k)!}{2^k k!} \quad [10]54$$

$$\text{2nd cumulant} = v, \text{ others zero} \quad [2]67$$

$$\text{Pearsonian type} \quad [2]141$$

$$D(\bar{x}) = N(0, v/n) \quad [2]175, [n]10-3:90$$

$$D(x/y) = \text{Cauchy} \quad [18]1-150, [w]1:74$$

$$D(x^2) = \text{Type III} \quad [i]26:212$$

$$D(s^2) \quad [2]246, [u]28:456, Z15:118$$

$$D(\sum x_i^2/2v) = \text{Gamma} (\frac{1}{2} n)$$

$$D(\sum x_i^2) \text{ etc.} \quad [c]35:47$$

$$D(\sum x_i^2), D(Q_1/Q_2) \quad [w]1:74$$

$$D(Q/v) = \chi^2(r), Q \text{ of rank } r; \neq 0 \quad [d]9:48, [c]25:122, Z19:357 [c]30:407$$

eigenvalues all +1



$$\text{Ch}(Q) = [ \prod (1-2itvk_i)^{\frac{1}{2}} ]^{-1}$$

$$D[x \ n^{\frac{1}{2}} (\sum x_i^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}] = \text{Type II} \quad [i]29:13$$

$$D(x) \text{ assuming } v \text{ is Type III} \quad [d]28:510$$

$$D(x/s) = \text{Student (testing)} \quad [c]37:65$$

$$D(\text{range}) \text{ for } n=3, \text{ unbiased critical region} \quad [3]327$$

$$FD(v) = \text{Type V} [\sum x_i^2/n-2, \frac{1}{2}(n-2)] \quad [p]7:226$$

$$C.-R.(v) = 2n^{-1}v^2 \quad [1]484, [p]7:159$$

$$\text{Suppose } n \text{ obeys No. 3.5} \quad MR14:391$$

$$MLE(v) = n^{-1} \sum x_i^2 \quad [4]141$$

$$s^2 \text{ UMVUE of } v, \text{ but } s \text{ not of } \sigma \quad [3]52,54$$

$$\text{Neyman-Pearson on hypothesis testing} \quad [c]20:178$$

$$\text{Most powerful test of } \begin{cases} H: \sigma = \sigma_0 \\ \text{Alt: } \sigma = \sigma_1 \end{cases} \quad [3]275$$

$$\text{is } \bar{x}^2 + s^2 \lessgtr c$$

$$\text{Completeness} \quad [e]10:313$$

$$\text{Unbiased critical regions} \quad [3]212$$

$$\text{Testing } s_1^2/s_2^2 \text{ etc.} \quad [e]5:157$$



Testing serial correlation [i]31:103

Various devices for showing area = +1 [d]5:136

Inference [b]15:52

As "Maxwell-Boltzmann" distribution [12]39

Variance of mean deviation is [2]217  
 $\sim vn^{-1}(.8068)^2$

Mean difference [c]28:432

Properties of  $f(x)$ , where  $x$  is [c]17:211  
 $N(0,v)$

See Also: [d]12:239, [c]3:311, [g]26:178, [c]31:260,  
 [n]13-1:51, [u]30:330, MR9:364, MR3:2, [a]83:127.

### 1.3 NORMAL: $N(m,1)$

$$D(x) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}(x - m)^2\right]$$

$$E(x_1^2 + x_2^2) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\pi\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \text{ Var}(x_1^2 + x_2^2) [8]120$$

$$= 2 - \frac{1}{2}\pi, \quad E|x| = (2/\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad E(e^{ax})$$

$$= e^{\frac{1}{2}a^2}, \quad \text{var}(e^{ax}) = e^{2a^2} - e^{a^2}$$



$D(\bar{x})$	[3]2
$D(x^2), D(x_1^2 + x_2^2), D(x_1^2 + x_2^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	[8]95
$D(xy) = \text{Bessel}$	MR10:200
$FD(m) = N(\bar{x}, n^{-1})$	[3]85
Bayes Distribution (m)	[3]91
$\bar{x}$ sufficient	[3]8, [e]17:211, [p]7:161
$\bar{x}$ is consistent	[3]3,26
$\bar{x}$ is MLE	[4]140, [c]33:125
$\bar{x}$ is minimax	
Efficiency of $\xi = .637$	[3]6
Confidence intervals for m	[3]63,70, [p]7:222
MLE for $\chi^2$ test	[d]25:580
Remarks on testing	[d]13:62
Most powerful test of $\begin{cases} H: m \leq m_0 \\ \text{Alt: } m = m_1 m_0 \end{cases}$	[3]274
is $\bar{x} > c$	
UMP test of $m = 0$	[13]452



Seq test	[c]43:452
Completeness	[e]10:313
Unbiased critical regions	[3]311
Testing equality of several means	[e]8:69
Testing; called "Laplace"	[v]2:251
Peculiar composite hypothesis on m	[3]306
Inference	[b]15:52
Pitman's method	[3]324
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See also: [c]27:466, [c]31:202, [c]36:460, [g]7:95  
3rd Berkeley Symposium 1:197.



# 1.4 NORMAL: $N(0,1)$ (Gaussian)

$D(x) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp(-\frac{1}{2} x^2)$	[7]129
General expose	Acta Math 77:1
$C(x)$ as continued fraction	[2]130
$C(x)$ as a series	[c]19:13
Bounds on $C(x)$	[c]42:263
Property of $C(x)$	Math. Zeit 41:405
$C(x)$	MR10:267
$\sim C(x)$	MR16:628
$MGF(x) = \exp(\frac{1}{2} t^2)$	
$Ch(x) = \exp(-\frac{1}{2} t^2)$	[8]164, [1]100
$a_{2k} = \frac{(2k)!}{2^k k!}$	[d]5:32, [d]11:353, [h]1:13,193, [1]208
Absolute moments	Z1:26
Median and quartiles	[c]25:79
$D(n\bar{x}) = \text{Normal}$	[c]19:227
$D(s^2)$	[e]5:138



$D(x^2)$	[d]1:340, [e]5:138
$D\left\{\frac{x}{\pi x_i^2}\right\}$ etc	[d]17:1
$D(\sum x_i^2) = \chi^2(n)$	[2]231, [4]103, [9]331
$D(\sum k_i x_i)$	[d]13:17
$C(n^{\frac{1}{2}} s^{-1} \bar{x}) = \text{Student}$	[9]336
$D(Q), D(Q_1 / Q_2)$	[e]17:37
$D[\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2] = \chi^2(n-1)$	[9]333
$C(r)$ expressed as an integral	[9]339
$D(x_1 x_2)$ by Mellin Transformation	[d]19:375
$D(x_1/x_2) = \text{Cauchy}$	[d]19:375
$D(\bar{x}, s)$	[o]7:65
$D(\text{range})$ for $n=3, \sim D(\text{range})$	[c]34:111, [c]5:313, [o]8:155, [c]36:142
Moments of sample median	[d]26:600
$D(\text{extreme deviate})$	[c]35:120
$C(\text{range})$	[c]32:341
$D(\sum x_i^2 / \sum y_j^2) = \text{Snedecor}$	[d]19:378

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Ch fcns of estimates of $v$	[d]19:257
Generating functions	Z2:200
Estimation of dispersion	[c]36:96
Estimation of mean deviation	[c]33:254, [c]35:304
Variance of median	[c]23:361
Testing $N(0,1)$ against various alternatives	[c]30:139
Multivariate analysis	[3]XXVIII
Limit of binomial	[7]134
Central Limit Theorem	[i]27:139, [i]29:206
$K^{\text{th}}$ value from the top	[1]374
Censored samples	[c]41:230
Ordered samples	[e]11:23
Stratified sampling	[d]5:138
Variance in two samples	[n]13-3:49
Ratio of two ranges	[d]21:112
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Approximations	[d]17:363
Sheppard's tables	[c]2:174
Grouping	[i]32:135
Moments of order statistics	[d]41:200
Occasionally called Laplace-Gauss, or even Laplace	Acta Math. 77:1, R. Acad. Sci. Paris 232:1999
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### 1.5 TRUNCATED NORMAL

$C(x)$	[1]248, [6]243
Introduction, estimation, examples	[15]144
$D(\sum x_i)$	[b]8:223
Fitting	[c]39:252
Estimating $m$ and $v$	[g]44:518, [g]47:457, [f]9:489, [o]3:37, MR7:461 [c]40:52

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Distribution of estimate of $\sigma$	[15]316
Censored sample	[c]42:516
MLE	[i]32:119

See also: [d]9:66, [d]20:458, [g]47:379, Brit. Assoc. Math. Tables (3rd Ed.) v.1 p xxxv, MR2:231.

#### 1.6 GENERALIZED NORMAL (Kapetyn)

$$(2\pi v)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp[-\frac{1}{2} v^{-1} (f(x) - m)^2] df(x) \quad [5]93$$

$$C.-R.(m) = v/n, \quad C.-R.(v) = 2v^2/n \quad [5]139$$

$$MLE(\sigma) = [n^{-1} \sum (f(x_1) - m)^2]^{-\frac{1}{2}},$$

$$MLE(m) = n^{-1} \sum f(x_1).$$

See also: [c]5:168.



# 1.7 NORMALS ADDED

$$D(x) = (1+k)^{-1} \left\{ (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(x + m_1)^2\right) + kv^{-\frac{1}{2}} (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(x - m_2)v^{-1}\right) \right\} \quad [d]2:340, [h']2:63$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = (1+k)^{-1} (1 + m_1^2 + k(v + m_2^2))$$

Method for partition with example [s]5:47

*Method for partition with example*

Semi-invariants [i]17:1

$D(\bar{x})$  [d]11:219

Three normals added [d]5:237

More generally [d]3:1, [d]5:230,  
[c]3:85, MR14:485

Sampling theory [n]8-3:67

Many normals added [c]37:429

Called "compound normal" [i]32:180

Bivariates [f]8:328

See also: [c]40:460, [e]14:369, MR11:258, MR17:1102.



# 1.8 LOGNORMAL (a, m, v)

$D(x) = (x - a)^{-1} (2\pi v)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp[-\frac{1}{2} v^{-1} (\log(x-a) - m)^2]$ , parameters and moments

Graphical determination of parameters

Mean =  $a + e^{m + \frac{1}{2} v}$ , var =  $e^{2m + v}(e^v - 1)$

[1]258, [c]4:194,  
[15]160, [5]121,  
[d]3:45  
[w]9:102

Another form

[d]4:30, [b]7:155

$D(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} c(x-a)} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2c^2} \left[ \log \frac{x-a}{b} \right]^2 \right\}$

$m = be^{\frac{1}{2}c^2} + a$ , mode =  $be^{-c^2} + a$ , GM =  $\xi$

= a + b, moments, tables, regression, examples, bibliography

Moments, transformations

Complete treatment with bibliography

[w]7:152, [w]8:83  
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Estimation of m

[e]10:341

MLE

[g]46:206, Intl.  
Congr. Math (1950)  
1:581

Regression

[d]7:196

~ Tests on m

[d]28:1044, [d]27:670

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- Used to approximate Fisher Distribution [d]12:448
- Deduced from hypothesis about errors etc. [i]28:141
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- Transformation [c]36:155
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- Vs. Normal Geochimica et Cosmochimica  
Acta 8:53
- Discrete lognormal [c]37:362
- Compared with normal by means of Galton-  
Kapetyn apparatus [s]4:129
- Truncated lognormal [i]28:150, [c]38:414
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 $E(x) = e^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $v = e^2 - e$  [c]22:109, [d]4:30
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- See also: [d]14:120, [1]13:161, [e]12:121, [b]6:174, [b]11:19,  
[d]15:182, [c]4:179, [c]22:146, [g]34:762, [g]36:493, [f]1:57,  
[c]36:155, [c]38:427, [g]48:600, Journal of the Franklin Inst.,  
250:339, 250:419, 251:499, 251:617, [g]50:904, [c]43:404,  
[a]119:157,185, J. Franklin Inst. 244:471, 250:339, Indus. and  
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56:442, [y]13:29, J. Hygiene 42:328, Z10:173, MR3:4, Nature  
156:463.

### 1.9 WRAPPED-UP NORMAL

- $D(x) = k \sum e^{-c(x+j)^2}$
- Bull. Soc. Math. France  
66:32, 67:1, C.R. Soc.  
Math. France (1938)p 34,  
Am. Ecole. Norm. Sup.  
45:1 [t]55:335, [d]18:589,  
Handbuch der Physik,  
Berlin, Springer 3:477



1.10 GRAM-CHARLIER

Two-term $D(x) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} [1-k/6(3x-x^2)] \exp(-\frac{1}{2} x^2)$	[3]103, 137
General Gram-Charlier	[4]77
$D(\bar{x})$	[d]1:199, [d]2:99
$D(x^2)$	[i]26:212
$D(s)$	[d]6:127
t-test	[i]210
$D(x) = f(x) N(m, v)$	[d]23:467, [g]26(P): 233
F(various statistics)	[g]4:1
Log Gram-Charlier	[i]28:145
Type B Gram-Charlier	[d]8:183, [d]18:574, Trans. Amer. Math. Soc. 67:206, [d]20:376, [j]5:17,
MGF factorial moments,	Z5:213

See also: [a]88:576, [a]89:129, [c]33:126, [c]36:427, [c]38:58,  
87, [c]39:425, [i]7:147, [l]23:283, T.A.M.S. 67:206, Z18:320,  
Z22:243, Z2:43



# 1.11 BIVARIATE NORMAL $N \left( \begin{matrix} m_1, & v_1, \\ m_2, & v_2, & \rho \end{matrix} \right)$

$$D(x, y) = [2\pi \sigma_1 \sigma_2 (1 - \rho^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}]^{-1} \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} [v_1 v_2 (1 - \rho^2)]^{-1} \right. \\ \left. [ (x - m_1)^2 v_2 - 2\rho \sigma_1 \sigma_2 (x - m_1) (y - m_2) + (y - m_2)^2 v_1 ] \right\}$$

[6]165, [5]89, [4]60

Introduction, properties, examples [15]585

Another form (Koopman-Darmois) [e]8:322

$$Ch(x, y) = \exp \{ i(m_1 s + m_2 t) - \frac{1}{2}(v_1 s^2 + 2\rho \sigma_1 \sigma_2 st + v_2 t^2) \}$$

[1]287

MGF [6]167

$D(\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2)$  = Normal bivariate [4]101

$D(\bar{x} - \bar{y})$  [c]2:379

$D(y/x)$  [c]24:428

$f(xy)$  and  $f(x/y)$  [18]1-151, Am. Math. Monthly 49:26

$Ch(xy)$  [a]42:82

$D(r)$  [4]120

If  $\rho=0$ ,  $D(r^2) = B(1, n-2)$  [10]160, 178



If  $\rho=0$ ,  $D(b) = B(1, n-1)$  [10]180

$D(\text{correlation ratio}) = \text{No. 5.3}$  [10]181

$\sim D(r)$  [c]10:507

$D(rs_1s_2, s_1^2, s_2^2)$  [u]29:264

Distribution of various statistics [e]17:21

$MLE(m_1, m_2, v_1, v_2, \rho\sigma_1\sigma_2)$  [3]37  
 $= \bar{x}, \bar{y}, s_1^2, s_2^2, rs_1s_2$

$Var(\bar{x}) = v_1/n, var(s_1^2) = v_1/2n,$  [3]38  
 $var(r) = n^{-1}(1-\rho^2)^2, cov(s_1, s_2)$   
 $= \rho^2\sigma_1\sigma_2/2n, cov(r, s_1)$   
 $= \rho\sigma_1(1-\rho^2)/2n, cov(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) =$   
 $\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2/n$

MLE from fragmentary information [d]3:163

$\bar{x}, \bar{y}$  are joint efficient in esti- [1]495-6

mating  $m_1$  and  $m_2$ ;

$\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \frac{ns_1^2}{n-1}, \frac{ns_2^2}{n-1}, \frac{n}{n-1} rs_1s_2$  have  
 joint efficiency  $(n-1/n)^3$

$\frac{x-m_1}{\sigma_1} + \frac{y-m_2}{\sigma_2}$  and  $\frac{x-m_1}{\sigma_1} - \frac{y-m_2}{\sigma_2}$  are [6]217

independent and  $N(0, 2(1+\rho))$ ,  $N(0, 2(1-\rho))$   
 respectively



Estimation	[d]17:395, [e]8:322
Estimation, testing	[15]606, [g]50:884
Censored samples	[x]6:83
Dist. ratio standard deviations	[x]6:93
Confidence limits for $r$	[c]29:157, J. Nat. Inst. Personnel Res. 6:153
Confidence limits for $m_1/m_2$	[d]13:440, MR13:962
Sufficient statistics	[e]17:212
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Tests of seven hypotheses on the parameters	[d]11:410
Testing equality of two $r$ 's	[d]12:279
Some tests	[w]7:46
Testing equality of variances	[e]1:13, bibliography [a]109:462
$r_1 - r_2$	[c]25:102
Seq. tests of $\rho$	[w]8:202
Truncation	MR2:231
Fisher's original work on $r$ and $\rho$	[n]1-4:1
Sufficient conditions for normal bivariate	[e]6:399, MR15:805



k samples [c]27:145, 227

$x/\sigma_1 + y/\sigma_2$  and  $x/\sigma_1 - y/\sigma_2$  are [c]31:9  
independent normal variables

If  $\rho = 0$  then  $\frac{v_1/v_2}{v_1/v_2 + s_1^2/s_2^2}$  is Beta [c]31:10

Called Bravais distribution [i]19:3

Properties Z15:310, MR1:246

See also: [d]4:196, [d]14:141, [c] 260, [g]26:129, [c]22:1,  
[c]25:356, [c]25:392, [f]8:328, [n]9-3:90, [c]39:238, [i]27:221,  
[6]218, [v]5:311, [d]27:1075, [c]44:289, [x]4:85, Harvard Ed.  
Rev. 1946, p. 52, MR4:280, MR8:283, MR14:1102, MR7:212, [y]1(No. 4)  
20.

## 1.12 BIVARIATE NORMAL $N\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 0, & v_1, \\ 0, & v_2, & \rho \end{smallmatrix}\right)$

$D(x, y) = 2\pi M^{\frac{1}{2}})^{-1} \exp[-\frac{1}{2} M^{-1}(x^2 v_2 - 2\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 xy + y^2 v_1)]$  [9]308, [2]22, 334,  
[4]60, [8]116,  
[15]588, [10]95,  
106, [c]30:8

where  $M = \begin{vmatrix} v_1 & \sigma_1\sigma_2 \\ \rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 & v_2 \end{vmatrix} = v_1 v_2 (1 - \rho^2)$

$Ch(x, y) = \exp(-\frac{1}{2} n^{-1}(v_1 s^2 + 2\rho\sigma_1\sigma_2 st + t^2 v_2))]$



$\alpha_{40} = 3v_1^2, \alpha_{31} = 3\rho\sigma_1^3\sigma_2, \alpha_{22} = (1+2\rho^2)v_1v_2$	[2]80, [4]60
Moments	[o]3:2, [c]12:177
Central moments	[h']4:73
Incomplete moments	[c]13:401, [c]40:22
Product-moments	[c]12:86
As limit of binomial	[a]91:548
If $\rho = 0, \sigma_1 = \sigma_2$ called "circular normal", $D(r)$ , properties	[c]29:137
$C(x,y)$ with other properties	[c]33:59, [c]38:475
Cumulants	[2]89
$\text{Var}(r) = n^{-1}(1-\rho^2)$	[2]336
$\text{Var}(b) = n^{-1}\sigma_1/\sigma_2(1-\rho^2)$	[2]337
Marginal and conditional distributions	[4]62
Regression	[3]144
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1. The first part of the paper is devoted to the study of the properties of the function  $f(x)$  defined by the equation

$$f(x) = \int_0^x \frac{1}{1+t^2} dt$$

It is well known that this function is the arctangent function, i.e.  $f(x) = \arctan x$ .

2. In the second part, we consider the function  $g(x)$  defined by the equation

$$g(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t}{1+t^2} dt$$

It is easy to see that this function is the logarithm of the square of the square root of  $1+x^2$ , i.e.  $g(x) = \ln \sqrt{1+x^2}$ .

3. In the third part, we consider the function  $h(x)$  defined by the equation

$$h(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t^2}{1+t^2} dt$$

It is easy to see that this function is the difference between the function  $g(x)$  and the function  $f(x)$ , i.e.  $h(x) = g(x) - f(x)$ .

4. In the fourth part, we consider the function  $k(x)$  defined by the equation

$$k(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t^3}{1+t^2} dt$$

It is easy to see that this function is the difference between the function  $h(x)$  and the function  $f(x)$ , i.e.  $k(x) = h(x) - f(x)$ .

5. In the fifth part, we consider the function  $l(x)$  defined by the equation

$$l(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t^4}{1+t^2} dt$$

It is easy to see that this function is the difference between the function  $k(x)$  and the function  $f(x)$ , i.e.  $l(x) = k(x) - f(x)$ .

6. In the sixth part, we consider the function  $m(x)$  defined by the equation

$$m(x) = \int_0^x \frac{t^5}{1+t^2} dt$$

Quadratic forms	[d]14:195
$D(x^2, y^2)$	[2]336
$D(\text{variance-covariance}) = \text{Wishart}$	[2]340, [1]29.6
$D(r)$	[2]342,
$D(r)$ for $n=4$	[u]26:536
$D(b) = a$ Type VII	[1]402
$D(s_1/s_2) = \text{No.8..3 if } \sigma_1 = \sigma_2$	[e]2:65, [c]31:9
$D(e^x, e^y)$	[w]2:155
When, further, $\rho = 0$ generalized Student	[c]30:190
Simple function of $x/y$ is normal	[a]93:442
$D(y/x)$	[c]32:16, [i]20:61
$D(xy), D(x/y)$	MR3:171
Joint distribution of Pearson betas	[c]7:386
$D(s_1^2, s_2^2, rs_1s_2)$ etc.	[d]5:283
$D(s_1^2, s_2^2)$	[e]5:139, [c]25:126
$D\left(\frac{(n-1)^{\frac{1}{2}} (b - \beta) \sigma_1}{\sqrt{v_2 - b^2 v_1}}\right) = \text{Student } (n-1)$	



$D \left( \frac{(n-2)^{\frac{1}{2}} (b_2 - \beta) s_1}{\sqrt{v_2 - b v_1}} \right) = \text{Student}(n-2)$	[9]5.13, [2]348, [3]156
Moments of dist. of covariance from $N \left( \begin{smallmatrix} 0, & 1 \\ 0, & 1 \end{smallmatrix}, \rho \right)$	[3]334
D(radial standard deviation) $= D[n^{-1} \Sigma (x_i - \bar{x})^2 + \Sigma (y_i - \bar{y})^2]^{\frac{1}{2}}$	[d]15:75
D(sample covariance)	[3]359, [10]138
MLE( $\rho$ )	[3]33
Confidence intervals for $\rho$	[3]81
MLE( $v_1, v_2, \rho$ )	[2]339
Estimation of $\rho$ when $v_1 = v_2$	[d]9:149
Estimation of $\rho$ by rank correlation	[d]7:40, [c]40:419
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Testing $v_1/v_2$	[3]138
Testing $\sigma_1/\sigma_2$ and $\rho$	[e]5:151
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Hotelling's generalized T applied to [d]14:90  
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Odd fact for  $\rho = 0$  [d]18:442

See also: [o]12:90, [c]2:369, [c]4:498, [c]17:176, [c]20:295,  
[g]27:254, [a]83:128, [c]29:74, [n]2:040, [n]7:6, [c]32:196,  
[c]38:371, [i]7:220, [i]24:17, [n]13-1:21, 65, [u]28:457, Z12:267

### 1.13 TRIVARIATE NORMAL

D(x) [10]255,260

Moments [o]4:15, [c]40:23

Correlation [i]14:158

Partial correlation [c]10:391

Yielding 2 x 2 x 2 table [e]10:272

Student test for partial correlation [10]256

Snedecor test for multiple correlation [10]257

See Also: [d]8:179, [d]12:94, [n]1-1:151, [u]44:342, MR15:805.



# 1.14 MULTIVARIATE NORMAL

$$D(x) = Ce^{-Q} = [(2\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}n} \sigma_1 \dots \sigma_n R^{\frac{1}{2}}]^{-1} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2} \sum \sum \frac{R_{ij}}{R \sigma_i \sigma_j} (x_i - m_i)(x_j - m_j)\right\}$$

[6]177, [2]376,  
[4]63

where  $R = |r_{ij}|$

$C(x)$  [c]40:458, [c]41:351

$$Ch(x) = \exp\left\{i \sum m_j t_j - \frac{1}{2} \sum \sum r_{ij} \sigma_i \sigma_j t_i t_j\right\}$$

Moments [c]40:20, MR5:42

Marginal distributions, conditional distributions, regression [4]70

Independence of quadratic forms [o]1:83

Distributions of moments, partial and multiple correlations [i]24:185, [i]27:235, [i]28:20

$D(\text{product moment}) = \text{Wishart}$  [c]20:32, [i]20:218, [u]35:336, [u]29:260, 271, MR10:387, [b]17:82

Cumulants of logarithmic generalized variance [i]38:17

Independence of distribution of means and second order moments [4]233

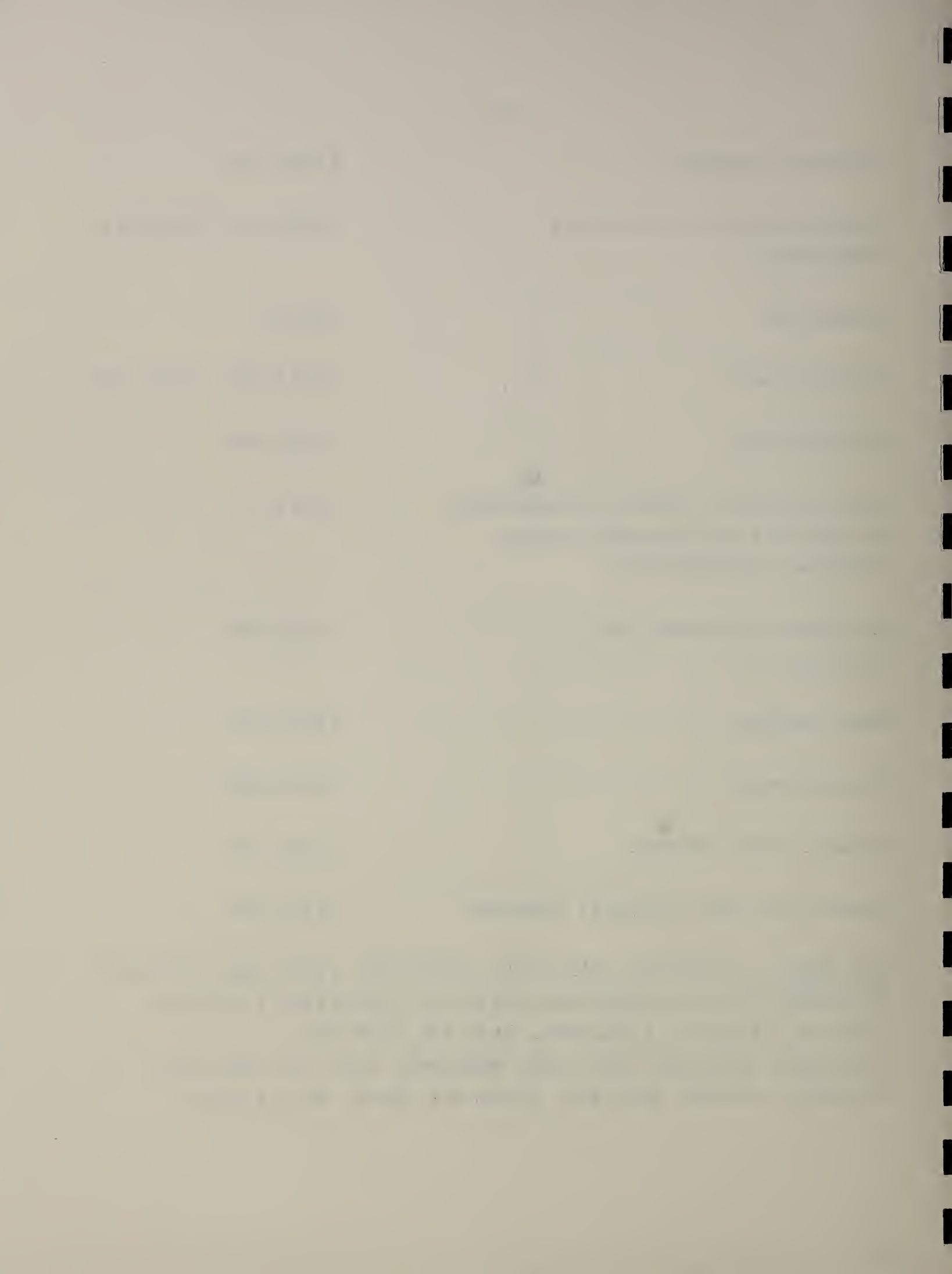


D(multiple correlation)	[d]3:196
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Multiple and partial correlation	[c]19:100
Linear regression theory	[4]245
$D(Q) = \chi^2$	[4]104
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D(vector correlation)	[c]28:353
Sampling	[4]XI, [d]6:202
$MLE(m_1, \dots, m_n) = (\bar{x}_1, \dots, \bar{x}_n)$	[6]187
Hotelling's generalized Student test	[4]234, [d]9:240
LR test for variances equal and correlations zero	[d]11:204
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Characterization	[e]14:367
Hypothesis of equality of means	[4]238
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See also: [d]8:149, [d]17:344, [d]19:447, [d]21:445, [e]3:273,  
[e]12:99, [e]6:35, [a]90:136, [c]6:59, [c]15:192, [c]35:58,  
[o]1:79, [b]18:70, [c]43:212, [x]1:59, [t]6:181, .  
[g]52:200, MR13:366, MR17:278, MR12:345, MR15:141, MR6:159,  
Z10:406, Z15:220, MR10:312, Trans. Am. Math. Soc. 24:135.



## II. TYPE III DISTRIBUTIONS

### 2.1 TYPE III (p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{p^q}{\Gamma(q)} x^{q-1} e^{-px}, (0, \infty)$$

$$D(x) = \frac{x^b e^{-x/a}}{b! a^{b+1}} \text{ ("gamma")} \quad [6]112$$

$$Ch(x) = (1 - it/p)^{-q} \quad [2]55, [1]126$$

$$MGF(x) = (1 - at)^{-b-1} \quad [6]115, [4]74$$

$$\alpha_1 = q/p, \alpha_2 = p^{-2}q(q+1), \alpha_3 = p^{-3}(q+1)(q+2) \quad [2]55$$

$$E(x) = a(b+1), v = a^2(b+1)$$

$$r^{th} \text{ cumulant} = q(r-1)!p^{-r} \quad [2]67$$

$$\mu_2 = qp^{-2}, \sigma^2 = q/p^2, \mu_3 = 2qp^{-3}, \quad [2]433$$

$$\mu_4 = 3q(q+2)p^{-4}$$

$$\text{Arithmetic, geometric means} \quad \text{Math. Student 13:11}$$

$$\text{Type III } (p/q, p) \text{ ("Eulerian")} \quad [c]35:6$$

$$C(x) \quad [c]25:379$$

$$f\left(\frac{x}{x+y}\right) = \text{Beta} \quad [14]41$$

$$\sim C(x) \quad \text{MR13:553}$$



Transformations $y = x^n$ , $y = e^x$	[d]9:176
Normalizing Transform	Proc. Pak. Stat. Assoc. 5:120
Transformation $y = (x + k)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	[d]14:115
Moments $Ch(x)$ , cumulants when $x=y-c$	[18]1-136, 1-144
Type III (p, p+1)	[e]5:176
$D(\bar{x}) = \text{Type III } (np, nq)$	[2]244, [c]18:335
	[w]1:73
$D[(nq-1)n^{-1} \bar{x}^{-1}] = \text{Reciprocal Type III}(p, nq-1)$	
$\sim D(\sqrt[3]{x})$	[c]35:297
$D(x/y) = \text{Beta of Second Kind } (p=q)$	[w]1:74
$FD(p^{-1}) = \text{Type V } (n \bar{x}/nq-1, nq-1)$	[3]87, [c]30:408
Bayes $D(p^{-1}) = \text{Rectangular}$	[3]91
$D(xy)$ where $x$ is Type III and $y$ Type V	[i]39:64
$D(HM)$	MR4:164
$D(xy)$ , $Ch(xy)$	MR16:377
MLE (p) = Moments (p) = $q\sqrt{x}$ , correcting for bias = $\frac{nq-1}{n\bar{x}}$ , sufficient $\sim$ efficient, not efficient	[3]26
$\text{Var } (\frac{nq-1}{n\bar{x}}) = p^2(nq - 2)^{-1}$	[1]505, [u]45:214



MLE( $1/p$ ) = $\bar{x}/q$	[3]21
Var( $\bar{x}/q$ ) = $p^{-2}n^{-1}q^{-1}$ , sufficient	[3]21
Sufficient statistics for $p$	[e]17:212,219
Ordered LSE is MLE for $1/p$	[d]25:315
MLE( $p,q$ ), variance-covariance of estimates	[b]14:187 [c]42:22, [r]1:18
UMVUE( $1/p$ ) = $\bar{x}/q$ , with Var = $p^{-2}n^{-1}q^{-1}$	[3]53
There is a sufficient estimate of $q$	[3]26
Estimation	[e]8:324
Minimax	[16]64, C.R. [e]14:57
Gauging	[e]15:192
Closest estimate	[u]33:217
Testing $n$ such populations	[3]325
Slippage tests for $p$	Koninkl. Nederl. Akad. (A)59:329
Testing equality of $1/p$	[c]31:205
Confidence intervals for $1/p$	[3]74, [e]6:113, MR5:128



Truncated distribution	[g]45:411
Estimation from Truncated Type III	[d]26:659, [d]27:498
Truncated samples	[c]40:52
Relation with Poisson	[o]3:123
Characterized by independence of sum and quotient	[d]26:319
Discrete Type III	[c]44:365
Mills ratio	[d]24:309
Normal limit	Am. Math. Monthly 50:98
Renewal theory	[d]11:448
Trivariate	[d]21:550

See also: [d]7:95, [d]8:17, [d]24:407, [e]2:150, [b]11:101,  
[c]21:263, [d]25:640, [c]24:300, [v]2:330, [g]50:904, [i]39:171,  
[q]7:95, Am. Math. Monthly 50:98, MR17:756.



## 2.2 TYPE III (p,1)

$D(x) = pe^{-px}$	[5]34
Type X	
$\alpha_1 = 1/p$	[5]59, [2]48
$v = p^{-2}$	[5]67
Moments	[2]142, [8]100, [10]18
Characterization	[t]7:60, 3rd Berkeley Symp. 2:195
Cumulants	[2]87, [10]40
$C(x)$	[c]25:379
Mean difference	[c]28:432
$MGF(x) = (1-x/p)^{-1}$	[10]37
$MGF(\log x)$	[v]7:296
Grouping corrections	[c]39:433
A priori distributions of p	[i]27:36
$D(x + y)$	[8]95



Examples and applications	[8]29,79,83, [j]20:366, [c]39:168
$D(\bar{x})$	[c]39:168
$D(\xi)$ - No. 8.9, MGF( $\xi$ )	[p]7:153
$\Sigma x_i$ where $x_i$ is Type III( $p_i, 1$ )	MR5:42
Rank variates	[c]24:210,271, [r]4:153
Estimation	[c]35:187, [g]48:493, [s]10:167, [o]8:15 [p]7:152
Censored sample	[c]41:230, [d]23:237
Moments of $D(s)$	[c]22:53
Variance of mean deviation $\cong \frac{4}{3np^2}$	[2]217
Testing $p = p_0$	[d]9:84
Sequential test	[c]41:252, [d]27:460
Testing against four other possible dist.	[c]43:253
Confidence intervals	[3]84
Estimation from truncated exponential	[d]26:498
Relation with Poisson	[o]2:13
<u>See also:</u> [d]7:19, [d]25:555, [g]48:488, [g]50:904	



If  $x = y - c$ .

Mean =  $c + \frac{1}{p}$ , var =  $\frac{1}{p^2}$ , skewness = 2, [18]1-136, 1-144  
kurtosis = 6, Ch(x), cumulants

MLE [k]8:52

LR test for hypothesis that n such [3]305  
populations are identical, etc.

k samples Z14:269

Best linear estimates of m and  $\sigma$  [d]25:320

$$D \left\{ \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} |x_{i+1} - x_i| \right\}$$
 [v]6:133

Life testing [d]25:373

Original Neyman-Pearson paper on [c]20:221  
hypothesis testing

Censored samples [g]52:58

Estimation by order statistics [d]26:585

Quasi-range [d]28:179

LR tests [d]12:301

Seq. testing [x]2:86

Confidence intervals MR5:43



$$\begin{cases} \text{H: } p = p_0, c = c_0 \\ \text{Alt: } p = p_1, c = c_1 \end{cases} \quad [3]304$$

See also: [d]25:409, [d]24:458, [c]30:402,416, [e]24:279

### Maxwell-Boltzmann

$$x^2 \text{ is Type III } (p, 3/2) \quad [5]39,60$$

$$\text{Connection with } N(0, v) \quad [12]40$$

$$D(\bar{x}) \quad [n]10-3:90$$

See also: [n]17-1:125.

### 2.3 TYPE III (1,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(q)} e^{-x} x^{q-1}, \text{ "Gamma"} \quad [10]149$$

$$\alpha_r = \frac{\Gamma(q+r)}{\Gamma(q)} \quad [10]150,163$$

$$k_r = q(r-1)! \quad [2]96,153$$

$$\text{Ch}(x) = (1-ix)^{-q} \quad [17]\text{No. } 34$$

$$\text{Skewness} = q^{-\frac{1}{2}} \quad [10]161$$



$HM = q-1$	[10]163
$D(n\bar{x}) = \text{Type III } (1, nq)$	[c]19:228, [n]10-3:91
$D(\Pi x_i)$	[c]24:474
$D(x_1 - x_2)$	[2]252
$D(x_1 + x_2) = \text{Type III } (1, q_1 + q_2)$	[10]151, [p]7:101
$D(GM)$ as a series (with generalization)	[2]251, [d]5:277
$D(\frac{x_1}{x_1 + x_2}) = B(\frac{1}{2} q_1, \frac{1}{2} q_2)$	[10]153
$D(x_1/x_2) = \text{Beta of second kind}$	[10]158, 160, [p]7:102
$D(x_1 - x_2)$ involves a Bessel function if $x_1$ and $x_2$ are from two separate distributions, and $D(x_1/x_2)$ is Fisher	[d]7:51
$\sim D(\bar{x})$	[d]25:636
$D(\bar{x}, GM/\bar{x}) = D(\bar{x}) D(GM/\bar{x})$	[c]30:287
$C.-R.(q) = [n \frac{d^2}{dq^2} \log \Gamma(q)]^{-1}$	
$\bar{x}$ is moments estimate of $q$ , not sufficient	



Closest estimate	[u]33:216
$\text{MLE}(q) = \log \text{GM}$	[p]7:169
$E(\bar{x}) = q, \text{ var } (\bar{x}) = q/n, \text{ efficiency}$ $(\bar{x}) \rightarrow 0$	[1]504,5
$\sim D(\log \text{GM}) = \text{Normal}$	[1]505
Confidence intervals	[p]7:224
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Fermi-Dirac, $x-c$ is Type III ( $3/2, \text{const.}$ )	[12]42, [j]8:701.
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## 2.4 TYPE III (1,1)

$D(x) = e^{-x}$ , "exponential"	[6]217
$Ch(x) = \frac{1}{1-it}$	[17]No. 33
$D(\bar{x}, s)$	[d]3:128, [d]4:133, [d]4:139, 142
$x = y - c$ , Type X, confidence intervals	[b]17:90
$D(\sum x_i) = \text{Type III}$ by convolutions	[d]5:13
$D(\sum x_i/i) = D(\max x_i)$	[b]14:43
Doubly truncated, $Ch(x)$	[n]10:3, [17]No. 32
Ratio of two ranges	[d]21:112
C.-R. theorem false for $x = y - c$	[1]485, [3]47

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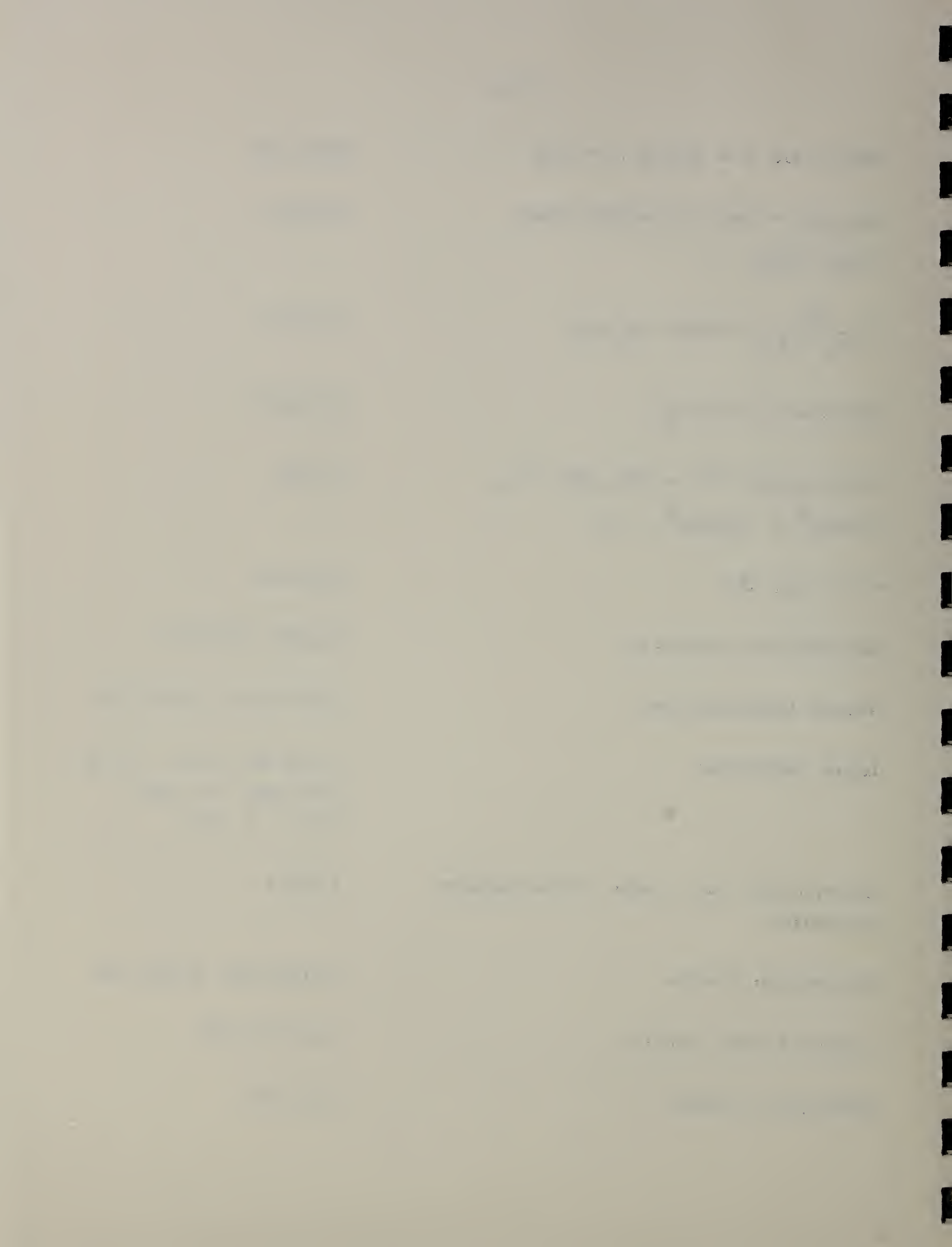


## 2.5 CHI-SQUARE (k)

$D(x) = \frac{1}{2^{\frac{1}{2}k} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}k)} x^{\frac{1}{2}k-1} e^{-\frac{1}{2}x}$ <p>(<math>\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}k</math>)</p>	<p>Type III</p> <p>[5]96, [10]164, [2]17, [4]102, [8]134, MR8:161 [1]3:353, [18]1-161</p>
$\alpha_1 = k, v = 2k$	<p>[1]234, [4]103</p>
$\alpha_s = k(k+2) \cdot \dots \cdot (k+2s-2)$	<p>[1]234</p>
$\mu_2 = 2k, \mu_3 = 8k, \mu_4 = 48k + 12k^2,$ $\mu_5 = 32k(5k+12)$	<p>[2]292</p>
<p>Cumulants</p>	<p>[c]31:216</p>
$Ch(x) = (1 - 2it)^{-\frac{1}{2}k}$	<p>[v]4:8</p>
<p>C(x), relation with Poisson</p>	<p>[1]3:357, [c]37:313</p>
<p>Introduction, properties, examples</p>	<p>[15]253</p>
<p>Obtained as dist. of normal variance</p>	<p>[3]104, Z23:148, [p]7:98</p>
$D(x_1 + x_2)$	<p>[e]7:27</p>
$D(\log x)$	<p>[c]34:170</p>
<p><math>D(2\sqrt{xy}) = \text{Chi square}(2n-2)</math> if <math>D(x)</math>  <math>= \text{chi-square}(n)</math> and <math>D(y) = \text{chi-square}(n-1)</math></p>	



$D(\bar{x}, s)$ for $k = 2, 3, 4$ , $n = 3, 4$	MR12:345
$D(x_1/x_2)$ - Beta of second kind $(\frac{1}{2}k_1, \frac{1}{2}k_2)$	[10]177
$D\left(\frac{x_1}{x_1 + x_2}\right)$ - Beta $(k_1, k_2)$	[10]177
Obtained as $D(\sum x_i^2)$	[10]169
$\sim D[(x-k)(2k)^{-\frac{1}{2}}] = N[k, (2k)^{-\frac{1}{2}}]$ , $\sim D(2x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = N[(2k)^{\frac{1}{2}}, 1]$	[1]251
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## 2.6 NON-CENTRAL CHI-SQUARE

$$D(x) = e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} e^{-\frac{1}{2}k} 2^{-\frac{1}{2}n} \quad [c]36:204$$

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}n+j-1} k^j}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}n+j) 2^{2j} j!}$$

$$Ch(x) = \frac{\exp[kit/(1-2it)]}{(1-2it)^{n/2}}, \quad [18]1-162$$

$$k_r = 2^{r-1} (r-1)! (n+rk), \sim \text{form}$$

Logarithmic Non-central Chi-square	[o]7:57
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See also: [i]34:57, [c]41:538, [i]36 (supplement):18, [d]28:678, [c]44:528



## 2.7 HELMERT (p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{(x/q)^{p-1} e^{-\frac{1}{2} x^2/q^2}}{q \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} p) 2^{\frac{1}{2}(p-2)}} \quad [5]94$$

For  $2q^2 = k$ ,  $p=2$ , called Rayleigh [12]39

$D(x^2/q^2) = \text{Chi-square}$

Called semi-normal [i]20:61

Refs, Ch(x) [17]No. 42

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{[\frac{1}{2}(p-1)]!}{[\frac{1}{2}(p-2)]!} 2^{\frac{1}{2}} q, \quad v=pq^2 = \alpha_1^2$$

Non-central [d]23:467

See also: [c]23:418, Electrical Engineering, Nov. 1954, p. 1004, MR8:161, J. Appl. Physics 23:137.

## 2.8 RECIPROCAL TYPE III (p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{p^{q+1} q^{q+1}}{\Gamma(q+1)} x^{-q-2} e^{-pq/x}, \quad pq > 0$$

Mean =  $p$ , var =  $\frac{p^2}{q-1}$ , Type V

$$\alpha_r = \frac{(pq)^r \Gamma(q-r+1)}{\Gamma(q+1)} \quad [2]86, 142$$

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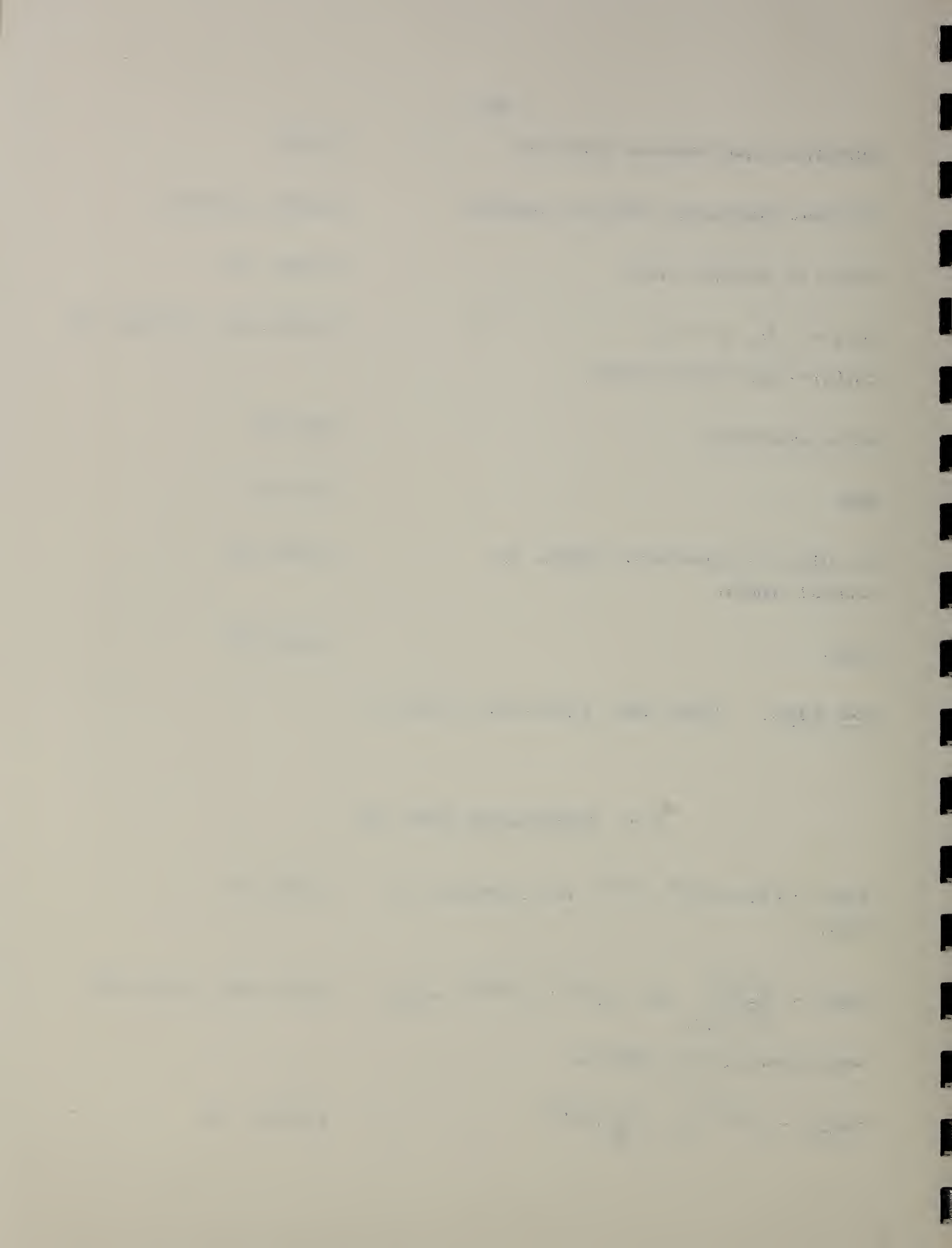
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## 2.9 GENERALIZED TYPE III

$D(x) = C(1+x/a)^{pa} e^{-px}$ , with moments of $D(s)$	[c]22:52
$D(x) = \frac{p^p e^{-p}}{q^p \Gamma(p)} (q+x)^{p-1} e^{-px/q}$ , with semi-invariants, $D(\bar{x})$ etc.	[c]21:287, [c]24:293
$Ch(x) = e^{-aix} (1 - \frac{ix}{p})^{-ap-1}$	[17]No. 35



$$D(x) = \frac{1}{p \Gamma(q)} \left( \frac{x-c}{p} \right)^{q-1} \exp \frac{c-x}{p}, \quad c \leq x < \infty$$

MLE(c,p,q) [3]39

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$D(x) = \frac{e^{ba_b p}}{\Gamma(p)} e^{-bx} (x+a)^{p-1}$  from [4]74, [2]124,  
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$D(\bar{x})$  [n]10-3:91

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$$D(x) = \frac{a^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)}}{\Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-1)]} x^{\frac{1}{2}(n-3)} e^{-ax}, \text{ Type III} \quad [1]391$$

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### III. BINOMIAL DISTRIBUTIONS

#### 3.1 BINOMIAL (k,p)

$$D(x) = \binom{k}{x} p^x (1-p)^{k-x}, \quad x=0,1,\dots,k, \quad \text{"Bernoulli"} \quad [4]47, [10]46, \\ [5]106, [d]1:118$$

$$\alpha_1 = kp, \quad v = kpq, \quad (\text{where } p+q=1) \quad [1]193, [c]5:172, \\ \alpha_3 = kpq(q-p), \quad \alpha_4 = 2k^2 p^2 q^2 \quad [5]57,66, [10]58, \\ + pq(1-6pq) \quad [2]52,117$$

$$\mu_{r+1} = pq(kr\mu_{r-1} + \frac{d\mu_r}{dp}) \quad [2]118$$

$$\beta_1 = \frac{q-p}{\sqrt{kpq}} \quad \beta_2 = 3 + \frac{1-6pq}{kpq}$$

$$\text{Factorial moments } \alpha_{[i]} = k^{[i]} p^i \quad [1]257, \text{ Nature} \\ 164:282, [2]87$$

$$\text{Long introductory article} \quad [15]23$$

$$\text{Moments} \quad [d]6:96, [v]3:325, \\ Z9:28$$

$$\text{Cumulants } k_{r+1} = pq \frac{dk_r}{dp} \quad [2]135, [c]31:392 \\ [18]1-144$$

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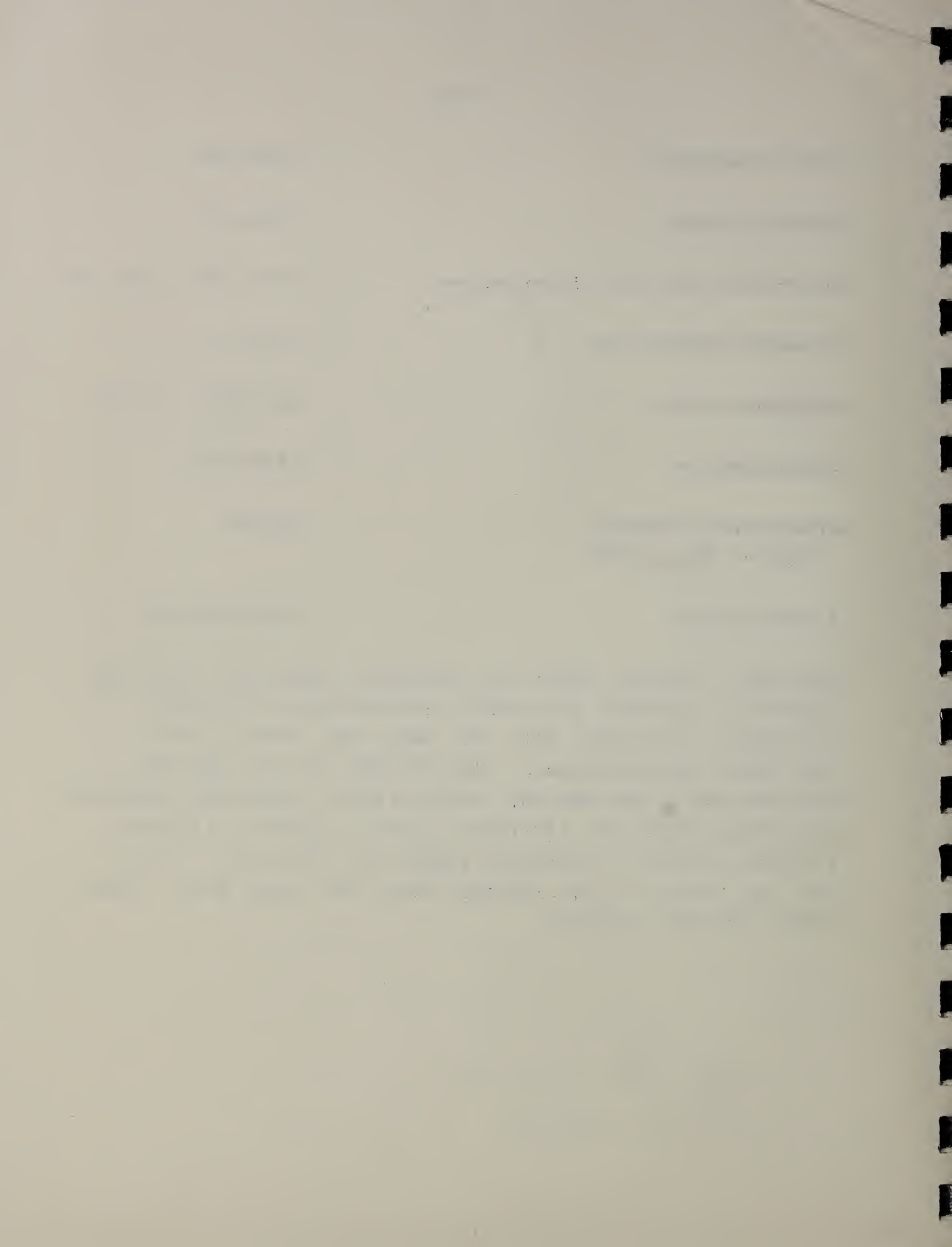
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### 3.2 BINOMIAL (1,p)

$$D(x) = p^x(1-p)^{1-x}, \quad x=0,1$$

$$D(\bar{x}) = \text{Binomial } (n,p)$$

[6]207, [w]1:73

Chi-square test

[e]13:3

Confidence intervals for p

[6]233

Completeness

[e]10:315

$$\text{UMVUE}(p) = \bar{x}, \quad \text{UMVUE}(pq) = \frac{n\bar{x}(1-\bar{x})}{n-1}$$

See also: [v]3:324, [w]1:9.

### 3.3 TRUNCATED BINOMIAL (k,p)

$$D(x) = \binom{k}{x} \frac{p^x q^{k-x}}{1-q^k}, \quad x=1, \dots, k$$

[6]162

$$E(x) = \frac{kp}{1-q^k}, \quad v = \frac{kpq}{1-q^k},$$

[d]16:50

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### 3.4 NEGATIVE BINOMIAL (k,p)

D(x)	p	q	Mean	Variance	Reference
$\binom{-k}{x} p^x (1-p)^{-k-x}$	p	q	-kp	-kpq	
$\left(\frac{a}{1+a}\right)^k \binom{-k}{x} \frac{(-1)^x}{(1+a)^x}$	-1/a	$\frac{a+1}{a}$	k/a	k/a + k/a <sup>2</sup>	[1]259, [a]83:255
coefficient of t <sup>x</sup> in $\left(\frac{a}{1+a}\right)^k \left(1 - \frac{t}{1+a}\right)^{-k}$	-1/a	$\frac{a+1}{a}$	k/a	k/a + k/a <sup>2</sup>	[2]125
$p^k \binom{x+k-1}{k-1} (1-p)^x$	$\frac{p-1}{p}$	1/p	qk/p	qk/p <sup>2</sup>	[d]17:53, [6]61, [18]1-158, [17]No. 6, [7]218
$\binom{x+k-1}{k-1} \frac{p^x}{(1+p)^{k+x}}$	-p	1+p	p	p + p <sup>2</sup>	[f]9:176, [4]54
$\left(\frac{m}{1+bm}\right)^x (1+bm)^{-1/b} \frac{1}{x!} \prod_{j=1}^{x-1} (1+jb)$	-bm	1+bm	m	m(1+bm)	[5]32
$\left(\frac{n}{n+km}\right)^n \left(\frac{x+n-1}{n-1}\right) \left(\frac{km}{n+km}\right)^x$	-km/n	$\frac{n+km}{n}$	km	km + $\frac{k^2 m^2}{n}$	[c]41:78



If  $Qp = 1$ ,  $Q(1-p) = P$  then

$$\beta_1 = \frac{P+Q}{\sqrt{kPQ}}, \quad \beta_2 = 3 + \frac{1+6PQ}{kPQ}$$

Obtained by assuming a Poisson parameter to be Type III

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$$C(x) = (p + q)^{-n}$$

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$$Ch(x) = [1 + bm(1-e^{1t})]^{-1/b}$$

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Called compound Poisson

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$Ch(x)$

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Limit of contagious

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Limited by Poisson and Pascal

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Problem leading to Negative Binomial, with generalization

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Transformations [c]41:315

Called "Pascal", satisfies

$$D(x+1) = \frac{(1-p)(x+k)}{(x+1)} D(x), \text{ etc.} \quad [i]14:176$$

Accident proneness [c]37:24

Telephone traffic [j]35:454

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### 3.5 NEGATIVE BINOMIAL (1, -m)

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{1+m} \left(\frac{m}{1+m}\right)^x, \text{ "Pascal", or "Furry",} \quad [5]31,60,66$$

$$\alpha_1 = m, \quad v = m^2 + m,$$

$$Ch(x) = [1 + m(1-e^{it})]^{-1}$$

Cumulants [18]1-144

PGF [18]1-146

See also: [c]39:346, [7]59, [v]4:8, [c]36:165, [15]38  
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### 3.6 DISCRETE LEXIAN

$$D(x) = \sum f(p) \binom{k}{x} p^x (1-p)^{k-x}, \text{ moments} \quad [i]26:34$$

etc.

"Generalized Binomial"

Poisson-Lexian [i]26:57

$$Ch(x) = [p\phi(t) + q]^k \quad [17] \text{ No. } 69$$

If a priori distribution of p is Beta [i]27:39, Bull. Am. Math. Soc. 41:860

### 3.7 DETERMINISTIC

$$D(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \neq c \\ 1, & x = c \end{cases} \quad [1]192$$

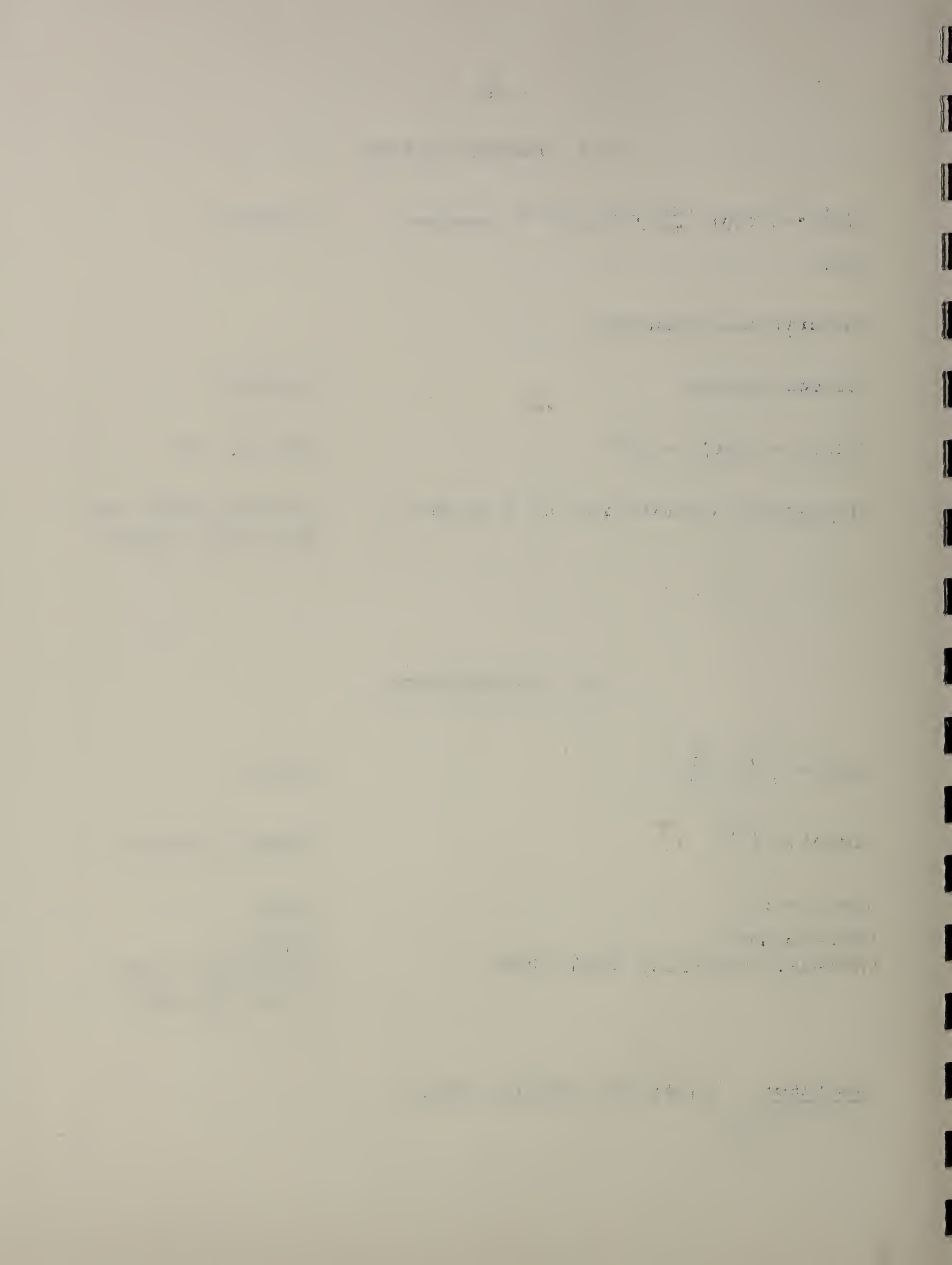
$$Ch(x) = e^{ict} \quad [8]209, [5]29,62$$

For c = 1 [2]96

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See also: [c]44:366, Z9:363, [w]1:9



### 3.8 RECIPROCAL TRUNCATED BINOMIAL

$D(x)$  [n]18N.1-2:77

## IV. DISCRETE DISTRIBUTIONS

### 4.1 POISSON (m)

$D(x) = \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!}$ ,  $x=0,1,\dots$ , Law of small numbers [6]59, [5]30, [8]X, [7]72,115, [10]47,63 [15]119

$Ch(x) = \exp [m(e^{it} - 1)]$  [1]204, [5]62, [2]66

$MGF(x) = e^{-m} \exp (me^t)$  [6]101, [4]53, [m]2:46

$\alpha_1 = m$ ,  $\alpha_2 = m^2 + m$ ,  $v = m$  [6]102, [5]57,66, [4]53

$\alpha_3 = m[(m+1)^2 + m]$ , [10]59

$\alpha_4 = m(m^3 + 6m^2 + 7m + 1)$

$\mu_2 = m$ ,  $\mu_3 = m$ ,  $\mu_4 = m(1 + 3m)$ , [d]1:119, [2]86

$\mu_5 = m(1 + 10m)$ ,  $\mu_6 = m(1 + 25m + 15m^2)$

Skewness, Kurtosis [18]1-136

PGF [18]1-146

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$$\mu_{r+1} = r m \mu_{r-1} + m \frac{d\mu_r}{dm}$$

[2]121, Bull. Am.  
Math. Soc. April 1934,  
p. 264, 41:857

All cumulants = m

[2]66

Factorial moments  $\alpha_{[i]} = m^i$

[1]257

Moments in general

[d]8:103, [i]14:173

Recursion formula for moments,  
correction with multinomial,  
C(x) as a  $\Gamma$  integral

[14]36-8

$$\beta_1 = 1/m, \quad \beta_2 = 3 + 1/m, \quad \gamma = 1/m$$

[12]52

C(x)

[j]5:604, MR4:194,  
[c]37:313

Transform  $y = \sqrt{x}$

[14]209

$$D(\bar{x}) = \frac{e^{-nm} (nm)^{n\bar{x}}}{(n\bar{x})!}$$

[1]379, [2]243,  
[6]208, [15]219

D(x + y)

[10]59

$$\sim D\left(\frac{x-m}{m}\right) = N(m, m^{\frac{1}{2}})$$

[1]250

D(x - y)

[2]251, MR14:566,  
[a]109:296, [a]100:415,  
[v]7:175

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D(gap between two Poisson events) = exponential	[c]41:251, [g]49:255, MR14:293
$D[\bar{x}^{-1} \sum (x_i - \bar{x})]$ , i.e., Chi-square test	[b]5:75, Z18:321
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## 4.2 TRUNCATED POISSON

$$D(x) = \frac{m^x e^{-m}}{x!} \cdot \frac{1}{1-e^{-m}}, \quad x=1,2,\dots$$

[f]8:275, [f]10:402,  
[f]11:387

Estimation

[c]39:247, [c]40:171,  
[g]50:906, [i]39:19,  
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[g]49:169, [11]158,  
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Servicing machines

[b]13:71

$D(1/x)$

[n]18 No. 1-2:77

Doubly truncated,  $D(x)$  etc.

[g]49:160, Conn. Agric.  
Exp. Sta. Bull. No. 513.

## 4.3 COMPOUND POISSON

$$D(x) = k_1 \frac{e^{-m} m^x}{x!} + k_2 \frac{e^{-n} n^x}{x!}$$

[5]151

double Poisson

If  $k_1 = k_2 = \frac{1}{2}$

[5]150, [g]42:407,  
[f]8:281



Compound Poisson  $D(x) = \frac{1}{x!} \sum_i^x e^{-m_i} k_i$

[7]237, MR17:862,  
R. D. Evans, The Atomic  
Nucleus, p. 766,  
MR13:633, MR14:770

#### 4.4 UNIFORM

$D(x) = 1/k, x=1, \dots, k$

[6]61

Discrete rectangular

MGF and moments

[d]11:324

Sampling from

[c]21:126

Estimation of range

[g]46:375

Range and quotient of ranges

Int. Congr. Math.  
(1950) 1:583

See also: MR16:376.



#### 4.5 HYPERGEOMETRIC

$D(x) = \frac{\binom{m}{x} \binom{n}{r-x}}{\binom{m+n}{r}}$	[6]61, [7]33, [15]40
D(x) in another form, moments, etc.	[2]126
In the form of a hypergeometric series, asymptotic forms	[c]25:295, [c]26:59,
Various forms	J. Soc. Stat. Paris 96:262
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$E(x) = \frac{mr}{m+n}, \quad v = \frac{mnr(m+n-r)}{(m+n)^2(m+n-1)}$	[7]183, [6]98
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"Confidence Limits for the Hypergeometric Distribution"	Chung and DeLury Univ. of Toronto Press 1950, reviewed, [a]115:286
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Double hypergeometric

[7]187, Koninkl.  
Nederl. Akad(A) 60:121

See also: [d]1:113, [d]21:248, [e]11:153, [j]7:39, [j]10:281,  
[f]8:287, [n]1-4:49, [c]37:140, [h]2:435, [i]22:26, [d]25:762,  
J. Proc. Roy. Soc. N.S.W. 81:38, N.B.S. Math. Table MT19,  
MR17:984, Z12:29, Z13:273, MR1:340, U. Calif. Pub. Stat 1,  
No. 7, MR13:962, MR14:775, [w]1:9.

#### 4.6 CONTAGIOUS

Obtained by considering  $\int$  (Poisson)  $dF(m)$  MR14:293, [d]14:389  
[v]8:13

F step function yields

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{x!} \sum p_i e^{-a_i} a_i^x$$

F Type III yields Polya-Eggenberger

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{x!} \frac{\Gamma(x+h/d)}{\Gamma(h/d)} (1+d)^{-d/h} (1+d)^{-x}$$

m itself also Poisson yields

$$D(x) = e^{-k} \frac{c^x}{x!} \sum \frac{1^x}{i!} (e^{-c_k})^i$$

Neyman contagious Type A

Fitting

[f]11:149

Ch. fcns.

[g]49:368



Testing against Poisson [c]37:59

Rutherford contagious [d]25:703

$\sum_j$  (Poisson)  $f_j(x)$ , Ch(x), sp. cases [17]Nos. 66-8

Bivariate MR15:138

See also: [13]411, [f]9:354, [c]36:450, [c]39:346, [c]40:186,  
[c]41:268, [d]10:35, J. Econ. Entom. 35:536, MR1:251

#### 4.7 POLLACZEK-GEIRINGER

$f(x)$ , Ch(x), [17]No. 9

multiple occurrence of rate events

#### 4.8 BOREL-TANNER

$$f(x) = \frac{e^{-\alpha x} \alpha^{x-r} x^{x-r-1} r}{(x-r)!}, \quad x=r, r+1, \dots,$$

$$0 \leq \alpha \leq 1, \quad r = 1, 2, \dots$$

[s]214:452, [c]40:58

$$m = \frac{r}{1-\alpha}, \quad v = \frac{r^\alpha}{(1-\alpha)^3}$$



#### 4.9 POLYA

$$f(x) = \binom{N}{x} \frac{\prod_{i=0}^{x-1} (m+iR) \prod_{j=0}^{N-x-1} (n-m+jR)}{\prod_{k=0}^{N-1} (n+kR)}$$

[7]128, [d]28:1021

Contains Polya-Eggenburger No. 3.4, and Exceedance No. 4.10

#### 4.10 EXCEEDANCE

$$f(x) = \frac{\binom{n}{m} \binom{N}{x}}{(n+N) \binom{N+n-1}{m+x-1}}, \quad x=0, 1, \dots, N$$

[d]25:762, [w]6:164,  
[d]28:1021, [d]21:247

Moments

[w]6:165

#### 4.11 INVERSE HYPERGEOMETRIC

$$f(x) = \frac{\binom{n}{m-1} \binom{N-n}{x-m} (n-m+1)}{\binom{N}{x-1} (N-x+1)}, \quad \text{estimation,}$$

Kungl. Lantbuck. Ann.  
18:123

truncation



## V. DISTRIBUTIONS ON (a,b)

### 5.1 SERIAL CORRELATION

$$D(x) = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}k+1)}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}k+\frac{1}{2})\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})} (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(k-1)} (1+r^2-2rx)^{-\frac{1}{2}k} \quad [c]41:261$$

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{rk}{k+2}$$

$$v = (k+2)^{-1} [1 - r^2 k(k+1)(k+2)^{-1}(k+4)^{-1}]$$

Moments, called "Leipnik"

[c]44:270

See also: [c]35:255,261, [d]13:1,14, [c]43:161,169, [d]18:86,  
Cowles Commission Papers, New Series No. 42.

### 5.2 TYPE I

$$D(x) = C(x-a)^{p-1}(b-x)^{q-1},$$

[1]249, [17]No. 22

$$a < x < b, \quad p > 0, \quad q > 0$$

Beta for  $a=0, b=1$

[2]139

normal for  $p=q=\frac{1}{2}b^2, a=-b, b \rightarrow \infty$

Type III for  $b \rightarrow \infty, q = ab$

[1]249

Obtained by assuming roots in  
quadratic of Pearson differen-  
tial equation real with different  
sign

[4]74, [11]43



Relations of various constants

[11]53, [c]16:107

Bayes Theorem

[n]16-1:115

Fitting to observations

[a]96:306, [c]1:31,  
[c]1:292, [c]1:408,  
[c]4:474, [c]7:87

Early volumes of [c] give many  
examples with  $D(x) = C(1+x/a)^m(1-x/b)^n$

See also: [d]1:148, [d]7:20, [d]8:17, [d]10:15, [c]3:311,  
[c]23:393, [c]26:386, [i]16:53.

### 5.3 BETA (p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}(p+q)\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}p\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}q\right)} x^{\frac{1}{2}p-1}(1-x)^{\frac{1}{2}q-1},$$

[2]139, [17]No. 21  
[1]243, [10]153

$$0 < x < 1, \quad p < -2, \quad q < -2$$

Called Beta distribution of the first  
kind

[d]25:401

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{p}{p+q}, \quad v = \frac{pq}{(p+q)^2 \left( \frac{1}{2}p + \frac{1}{2}q + 1 \right)}$$

[2]31,41, [10]153,  
[14]42

3rd Moments

[2]419

$$\text{Mode} = \frac{p-2}{p+q-4}, \text{ etc.}$$

[m]2:128



$\alpha_r = \frac{B(p+r, q)}{B(p, q)}$	[6]117, [b]4:126, [14]42
$HM = \frac{p-2}{p+q-2} ,$	[10]163
$GM = \exp \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial \frac{1}{2}p} [\log \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}p) - \log \frac{1}{2}(p+q)] \right\}$	
$C(x)$	[d]20:451
Moments	[3]211
Obtained as a Pearson Type	[4]74
From an example	[10]45
$C(x)$	[c]19:1, [c]25:379, [c]38:423, [c]37:208, [i]38:192
$D(\bar{x})$	[2]251, [n]8-4:55
When $p=q$	[c]19:230
Special cases and variants	[2]26
$x^2$ is Beta	[17]No. 20
Beta $(n-k, k)$	[1]409
Beta $(2n+2, 4)$ connected with tolerance limits	Hoel, Intro. to Math. Stat.
Correlation ratio in samples from uncorrelated bivariate normal is Beta $(k-1, n-k)$	[2]352, [1]414, [c]21:1, [c]30:290, [10]181, 184



$D(1-x) = \text{Beta } (q,p)$	[10]156
If $x$ is Beta $(p,q)$ , $y$ is Type III $(1, p+q)$ then $xy$ is Type III $(1,p)$	
Standardized Beta variable is $N(0,1)$ as $p \rightarrow \infty, q \rightarrow \infty$	[1]252
$D(xy)$	[e]9:365
No sufficient statistic for $(\frac{1}{2}p-1)$	Proc. Roy. Soc. Lond. (Series A) 154:133
Mellin transform more generally	[d]19:373 [b]8:136
$\log \log \frac{1}{x}, \arcsin \sqrt{x},$	[v]8:71
Generalized	[c]43:237, [c]44:441
Transform	[c]36:165
Connection with Fisher and Snedecor	[2]419, [c]21:350
Non-central Beta	[d]26:648
Connection with binomial	[c]41:304, [n]18:121
Fitting straight lines	[y]24:23
Approximated by Poisson	[j]20:19



Range of rectangular is [4]93, [c]25:417

$$D(x) = n(n-1)a^{-n}x^{n-2}(a-x)$$

In trivariate normal analysis [3]341

GM  $(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  and GM  $(1-x_1, \dots, 1-x_n)$  [3]49

are joint sufficient

In rank correlation [2]418

See also: [d]16:98, [d]17:325, [b]1:214, [c]22:284, [c]22:391, [c]23:143, [c]27:415, [10]154, [c]30:140, [c]33:178, [c]34:368, [c]35:19, [c]32:151, 271, [c]36:166, [k]5:75, [c]39:204, [c]37:219, [c]40:281, [g]48:831, [w]1:9

#### 5.4 TYPE II

$$D(x) = \frac{(1-(x-m)^2a^{-2})^p}{aB(\frac{1}{2}, p+1)}, \quad m-a \leq x \leq m+a \quad [2]141$$

Properties MR10:131

Transform to Student [c]28:308

$D(\bar{x})$  [n]10-3:91

$C(x)$  [c]19:12, [c]25:379

$\sim$  Dist. of rank correlation coefficient (Pitman) [c]30:259



Called Thompson's distribution, [d]27:784  
 relation with Student's, normal  
 approximation

m location, a scaling, p shape [d]3:86

Likelihood function

C.-R.(m)

Tables

$$v = \frac{a^2}{2p+3}$$

If m=0 [2]401

Dist. of Spearman's  $\rho$  for large n

A numerical example [11]62

Estimation of center [t]4:33

From Pearson system [11]43

See also: [c]4:174, [c]16:114, [c]21:263, [n]12-3:67

## 5.5 PARTIAL CORRELATION

$$D(x) = \pi^{-\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-1+1)]}{\Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-k)]} (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-k-2)}, \quad [1]412, [i]24:198$$

$$-1 < x < 1$$

Type II with m=0, a=1, p=  $\frac{1}{2}(n-k-2)$



- Ch(x) [17]No. 19
- If  $k=2$ , transform to Student [5]99
- If corresponding population parameter is zero [10]256
- As No. 5.1 with  $r=0$ , Cowles Commission Papers, New Series No. 10
- If population is non-normal [i]36:16
- See also: [d]18:81, [n]2:684, [o]3:45, [a]92:580

#### 5.6 PARABOLIC

- $D(x) = \frac{3(a^2 - x^2)}{4a^3}$ ,  $-a < x < a$ ,  $v = a^2/5$  [c]39:432
- grouping corrections
- Estimation [d]26:505, [m]6:120

#### 5.7 TYPE IX

- $D(x) = \frac{m+1}{a} (1+x/a)^m$ ,  $-a \leq x \leq 0$  [2]142, [17]No. 16
- See also: [d]7:26, [c]24:234, 240, 263.
- Type VIII for negative m [17]No. 23, MR4:21



## 5.8 TYPE XII

$$D(x) = (p/q)^m \frac{1}{(p+q)B(1+m, 1-m)} (1+x/p)^m (1-x/q)^{-m} \quad [2]143$$

$$|m| < 1, \quad -p \leq x \leq q$$

See also: [d]7:27, [17]No. 24.

## 5.9 CORRELATION DETERMINANT

$$D(x) = \frac{\Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-1)]^{k-1} x^{\frac{1}{2}(n-k-2)}}{\pi^{\frac{1}{2}k(k-1)} \Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-2)] \cdots \Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n-k)]} \quad [1]411, [4]120$$

$$\alpha_1 = (n-1)^{1-k} (n-2)(n-3) \cdots (n-k),$$

$$v = k(k-1)n^{-2} + O(n^{-3})$$

Downton calls this "Geometric", and mentions the following special cases:

[d]25:304

$$\text{I. } D(x) = px^{p-1}, \quad 0 \leq x < 1,$$

$$C(x) = x^p, \quad \alpha_1 = p/p-1, \quad v = p(p+2)^{-1}(p+1)^{-2}$$

$$\text{II. } D(x) = pb^{-p}(x+a)^{p-1}, \quad -a \leq x < b-a$$

$$\text{III. } D(x) = pv^{-\frac{1}{2}} b^{-p} (x-m/v^{\frac{1}{2}} + a)^{p-1},$$

$$m - av^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq x < m + (b-a)v^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad \alpha_1 = m,$$

$$a = p^{\frac{1}{2}}(p+2)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad b = p^{-\frac{1}{2}}(p+1)^{3/2}, \quad p \geq 1$$



## 5.10 TRIANGULAR

$D(x) = 1 - |1 - x|$ ,  $D(\bar{x})$  from rectangular [c]25:417, [y]24:22,  
when  $n = 2$ ,  $D(\text{range})$  MR 3:171

$D(x) = \frac{2x}{2k+1}$ ,  $k \leq x \leq k+1$  [3]47, [8]32

Stratified sampling [c]13:48

$D(x) = (9\sigma)^{-1} \left[ \frac{x-m}{\sigma} + 2\sqrt{2} \right]$ , right triangular [d]4:256, [d]25:308  
 $m - 2\sqrt{2}\sigma \leq x < m + \sqrt{2}\sigma$

$D(x) = 4R^{-2} \left( \frac{1}{2}R - |x-m| \right)$ ,  $|x-m| \leq \frac{1}{2}R$ , [d]25:318  
best linear estimate of  $m$  and  $\sigma$

Testing [d]25:695

See also [d]2:48, [d]28:179

$D(x) = \frac{1}{a} \left[ 1 + k - \frac{2k}{a(a-x)} \right]$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq a$ , [d]4:244  
 $-1 \leq k \leq 1$ , called "linear"

$D(x) = \begin{cases} 1+x, & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ 1-x, & 0 \leq x < 1 \end{cases}$ , called "Tine" [d]5:33

$Ch(x) = (2/t^2)(1 - \cos t)$  [17]No.14

$D(x) = \frac{2}{a^2}(a-x)$ , called "semi-triangular" [c]39:432  
 $m = a/3$ ,  $v = a^2/18$ , grouping corrections

$Ch(x)$  [17]No.13

Triangular on  $(a,b)$ . If  $x$  and  $y$  are  
extreme values of the sample, then



$$E\left[\frac{1}{2}(x+y)\right] = \frac{1}{2}(a+b)$$

$$\text{Var}\left[\frac{1}{2}(x+y)\right] = \frac{4-\pi}{16n}(b-a)^2 + O(n^{-2})$$

$$E[(x-y)] = \left[1 - \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2n}\right](b-a) + O(n^{-3/2})$$

$$\text{Var}(x-y) = \frac{4-\pi}{4n}(b-a)^2 + O(n^{-2})$$

See Also: [y]16:16

### 5.11 RECTANGULAR (a-h, a+h)

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{2h}, m = a, v = \frac{h^2}{3} \quad [1]244, [5]34$$

$$\text{Skewness} = 0, \text{ kurtosis} = -6/5, K_k, Ch(x) \quad [18]1-136, 1-144$$

$$Ch(x) = \frac{\sin ht}{ht} e^{ait} \quad [1]259$$

$$\text{Special case of Type II} \quad [2]142$$

$$Ch(x), \text{ bibliography for rectangular over } (a,b), (-a, a) \quad [17]\text{Nos.11,12}$$

$$C(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{x}{a} \quad [15]93$$

If  $x$  and  $y$  are the  $k^{\text{th}}$  values from the top and bottom of sample, [1]372

$$E(x) = a + h - \frac{k}{n+1}(2h)$$

$$E\left[\frac{1}{2}(x+y)\right] = a$$

$$E(x-y) = \left(1 - \frac{2k}{n+1}\right)(2h)$$



$$\text{Var}(x) = \frac{k(n-k+1)}{(n+1)^2(n+2)} (2h)^2$$

$$\text{Var}\left[\frac{1}{2}(x+y)\right] = \frac{4kh^2}{2(n+1)(n+2)}$$

$$\text{Var}(x - y) = \frac{2k(n-k+1)}{(n+1)^2(n+2)} (2h)^2$$

$$\sim D(\bar{x}) = N(0, \frac{h^2}{3n}), \sim D(c) = \text{Laplace}(0, \frac{h}{n}), \quad [3]48$$

where  $c = \frac{1}{2}(\max + \min)$ ,  $n \text{ var}(c) = 6 \text{ var}(\bar{x})$

$$D(\xi) \quad [d]26:115$$

$$\text{Moments of max and min} \quad \text{MR } 4:21$$

$$D(\bar{x}) \text{ given incorrectly} \quad [n]10-3:91$$

$$D(\bar{x}) = \text{No. } 5.16$$

$$D(-2\log \prod x_j) \quad [v]4:161$$

$$FD(a) = \text{Rectangular}(\max - h, \min + h) \quad [c]30:402$$

$$D(q^{\text{th}} \text{ ranking item}) = \text{Type I} \quad [c]23:390$$

$$\text{Testing against simple unimodal distribution} \quad [y]20:111$$

$$\text{Grouping corrections} \quad [c]39:430$$

$$\text{Transformation to Cauchy} \quad [15]101$$

$$\text{C.-R. Theorem may not hold} \quad [1]485$$

$$\text{MLE}(a-h, a+h) = (\max, \min) \quad [6]156, [3]28$$



Best linear estimate of $m$ and $\sigma$	[d]25:308,317
Estimation	[d]17:355
Location and scaling, closest estimate	[u]33:221
Minimax estimate of $a$	[d]22:37
UMVUE	[14]142
Bayes Theorem	[n]16-1:110
Variance of estimates of $a$	[g]36:410
Testing $a$	[d]25:157
Critical regions	[3]280
<u>See also:</u> Archiv. der Math. 3:3, MR 6:235	

# 5.12 RECTANGULAR(0,a)

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{a}, \quad Ch(x) = \frac{e^{ait} - 1}{ait} \quad [2]245$$

$$MGF(x) = \frac{\sinh \frac{1}{2}at}{\frac{1}{2}at} \quad [10]38$$

$$\alpha_{2r} = \frac{(\frac{1}{2}a)^{2r}}{2r + 1} \quad [10]14$$

$$\text{Cumulants} \quad [10]41$$

$$\text{Var}(\text{mean deviation}) \simeq \frac{a^2}{45n} \quad [2]217$$



Mean difference	[c]28:432
$Ch(\sum x_j), C(\sum x_j)$	[9]278
$D(GM) = \frac{n^n x^{n-1}}{a^n \Gamma(n)} (\log a/x)^{n-1}$	[2]246, [d]5:276
$D(range) = n(n-1) a^{-n} x^{n-2} (a - x)$	[4]92,123, [c]20A:210 [9]241
$D(\sum_{j=1}^n \log x_j) = \text{Type III}$	[v]7:296
$D(\bar{x}, s) \text{ for } n = 2, 3$	[d]3:128
$D(\text{quotient of ranges})$	[g]46:502
$D(\max_1 / \max_2) = \text{No. 8.63}$	[g]50:1136
$FD(a) = k x^{-n-1}$	[c]30:408, [d]9:273
$MGF(\log \log \frac{1}{x}), MGF(\arcsin \sqrt{x})$	[v]8:69
Completeness	[e]10:314
Estimation by order statistics	[d]26:576
Quasi-range	[d]28:179
Best linear estimate	[d]14:88
$UMVUE(a) = (1 + \frac{1}{n})(\max), \max \text{ is sufficient}$	[14]142



Sufficient statistics	[e]17:214
Confidence intervals for a	[3]83, [b]17:88
Example	[d]11:209
Estimation of dispersion	[c]36:95
UMP test of $a = 1$	[13]
<u>See also:</u> [d]2:48, [d]2:66, [d]4:126, [d]4:139, 142, 255, [c]23:424.	

### 5.13 RECTANGULAR (0, 1)

$$D(x) = 1, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1$$

$$D(-\log x) = e^{-x}, \quad Ch(-\log x) = (1 - it)^{-1} \quad [3]132$$

$$D(-\sum \log x_j) = \text{Type III } (1, k)$$

$$D(\sum x_j) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} [x^{n-1} - \binom{n}{1}(x-1)^{n-1} + \binom{n}{2}(x-2)^{n-1} - \dots]$$

"Irwin-Hall" distribution

[d]13:43, [1]245, [w]1:73  
 [2]240, 244, [c]19:234,  
 MR 12:509, MR 15:42,  
 MR 7:311, [c]19:240  
 [c]41:334

Convolutions

MR 6:88

Sheppard's corrections

[2]88



$D(q^{\text{th}} \text{ value from top of sample}) = \text{Type I},$ $m = 1 - \frac{q}{n+1}, v = \frac{q(n-q+1)}{(n+1)^2(n+2)}$	[2]218
$\text{Var}(\xi) = \frac{1}{4(n+2)}$	[2]230
$\sim D(\bar{x})$	[d]25:636, MR 9:360
Mellin transform	[d]19:373
Order statistics	[c]24:260, [i]33:214
$D(\text{range}) = \text{Type I}$	[c]25:417
$\text{MGF}(\log \log \frac{1}{x}) = (1 + t)$ $\text{MGF}(\arcsin x) = 2(e^{\frac{1}{2}\pi t} + 1)/(t^2 + 4)$	[v]8:69
Ratio of two ranges	[d]21:112, [x]7:179
Moments of the range	Z 13:30, [c]20:217
C.-R. Theorem may not hold	[1]485
Censored sample	[c]41:230
Stratified sample	[d]13:44
Significance levels for $\bar{x}$	[t]3:172
$D(\text{GM}) = \text{No. 8.12}$	[w]1:73



Estimation of center,  $D(\bar{x})$ ,  $D(\xi)$  [c]33:126

$D(\max_1 \max_2)$  = No. 8.64 [g]50:1142

Two rectangulars added [n]8-3:74

Hypothesis testing [c]32:321

See Also: [d]23:43, [c]25:203, [m]6:120, [d]22:418, [y]24:21,  
ME 7:310, Z 11:218, MR 16:602.

#### 5.14 CORRELATION

$$D(x) = \frac{(1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-4)} (1-\rho^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} 2^{n-3}}{\pi (n-3)!} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{(2x\rho)^i}{i!} \Gamma^2\left(\frac{n+i-1}{2}\right)$$

[1]398

$$D(x) = \frac{(1-\rho^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-4)}}{\pi (n-2)!} \frac{d^{n-2}}{d(\rho x)^{n-2}} \left[ \frac{\cos^{-1}(-\rho x)}{1-\rho^2 x^2} \right]$$

[2]342, [10]200

Special cases  $n = 2, 3, 4$ , moments

[2]345

$n = 4$

[u]26:536

$C(x)$

[c]25:71

$\sim D(x)$

[n]1-4:1, [c]38:236

If  $\rho = 0$ ,  $D(x)$  = No. 5.5

[6]314, [4]120, [g]26:129



If  $\rho = 0$ ,  $D\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}\sqrt{n-2}\right) = \text{Student}(n-2)$  [2]343

Transform  $x = \tanh z$ ,  $\rho = \tanh \zeta$  [10]200, [c]21:358

If  $\rho = 0$ ,  $D(x^2) = \text{Beta}\left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}(n-2)\right]$  [10]160,192

Bayes distribution of  $\rho$  is No. 5.5(0,1) [3]91, [c]41:278

Moments [n]5:3

Papers dealing with this distribution generally [c]10:507, [c]11:328

Interval estimation [e]7:415

Confidence limits for  $\rho$  [c]29:157

Stratified sampling [i]36(Suppl.):87

See also: [b]15:193, [c]21:164, [c]24:383, [o]3:1, Z 21:41

## 5.15 MULTIPLE CORRELATION

$$D(x) = \frac{\gamma}{B\left[\frac{1}{2}(n-k), (k-1)\right]} (1-R^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} x^{\frac{1}{2}(k-3)} (1-x)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-k-2)}$$

where  $\gamma = F\left(\frac{n-1}{2}, \frac{n-1}{2}, \frac{k-1}{2}, R^2x\right)$  and

$$F(a, b, c, x) = 1 + \frac{ab}{c}x + \frac{a(a+1)b(b+1)}{c(c+1)} \frac{x^2}{2!} + \dots$$

[14]65, [2]384, [d]3:196,  
[2]127



If  $R = 0$ ,  $D(x^2) = \text{Beta}(k, n-k)$  [i]30:63, [2]381

Testing [i]29:25

Another form [2]387, [3]338

Limiting form when  $n \rightarrow \infty$  [2]387

When  $R = 0$ ,  $D(x) = \text{Snedecor}$  [10]257, 262

Mean, variance [c]22:353

Moments MR 14:189

More generally [d]11:6

See also: [e]9:352, [e]10:257, [a]92:445, [n]12-4:67, [i]24:199, [x]1:67, 137, [x]4:88, Proc. Roy. Soc. (A) 121:654, [u]46:521

#### 5.16 RECTANGULAR MEAN

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \sum_{j=0}^{[x]} (-1)^j \binom{n}{j} (x-j)^{n-1} \quad [1]245$$

Generalization [v]3:330

Called Irwin-Hall, cf. No. 5.13 [d]13:43

Compare No. 8.47 and No. 8.70

See Also: London P. O. Res. Rep. 13443, Archiv der Math. 3:3, Proc. Intl. Cong. Math. (1924) 2:795



## VI. DISTRIBUTIONS ON $(0, \infty)$

### 6.1 TYPE VI

$$D(x) = C(x - a)^{p-1}(x - b)^{q-1}, \quad x > b, \quad a < b, \quad q > 0, \quad p + q < 1$$

[1]249

If  $b = 0$ ,  $C = \frac{a^{1-p-q}}{B(1-p-q, p)}$  [2]140

Roots of quadratic in Pearson equation real and same sign [11]45

Truncation [i]39:63, [i]40:18

Various constants and an example [11]83

See also: [d]7:23, [c]23:143, [c]25:379, [17]No. 26, [v]4:167

### 6.2 SNEDECOR $(p, q)$

$$D(x) = \frac{(p/q)^{\frac{1}{2}p} x^{\frac{1}{2}p-1} (1 + px/q)^{-\frac{1}{2}(p+q)}}{B(\frac{1}{2}p, \frac{1}{2}q)}, \quad x > 0$$

[5]100

"F" distribution

$m, v, k_3, k_4, \beta_1, \beta_2$  [p]6:175

Derivation, properties, examples [15]374, [18]1-163

Area unity if  $p, q$  both even MR 12:509

Obtained as distribution of ratio of two Chi-square variables [6]10.5, [4]113



$D(\sqrt{x})$  [5]100

$D(\frac{px}{q+px}) = \text{Beta}(p-1, q-1)$  [4]115

Therefore called "inverted Beta" [c]33:73

Various properties [d]12:446

$m = \frac{q}{q-2}$  [10]198

$\alpha_r = \frac{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}p + r) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}q - r)}{\Gamma(\frac{1}{2}p) \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}q)} (q/p)^r$  [4]114

Mode =  $\frac{pq - 2q}{pq + 2p}$  [10]197

Approximated by normal distribution [d]13:233

If  $x, y$  each Snedecor  $(n-1, n)$ , then  
 $D(\sqrt{x/y}) = \text{Snedecor}(2n-2, 2n-2)$

Testing [d]13:371

Used to test multiple correlation coefficient [10]257

See Also: [4]189, [d]6:204, [d]18:89, [c]21:350, [c]37:219,  
 [q]7:96, J. Soc. Statist. Paris 96:262



### 6.3 BETA OF SECOND KIND(p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{x^{p-1}}{B(p,q) (1+x)^{p+q}}, \quad m = \frac{p}{q-1}, \quad [1]242, [10]156, 158, 163$$

[d]25:402

$$v = \frac{p(p+q-1)}{(q-1)^2(q-2)}, \quad \text{mode} = \frac{p-1}{q+1}, \quad \text{HM} = \frac{p-1}{q}$$

$$\text{if } r < q, \quad \alpha_r = \frac{p(p+1)\dots(p+r-1)}{(q-1)(q-2)\dots(q-r)}$$

$$D(1/x) = \text{No. 6.3}(q,p), \quad D\left(\frac{1}{1+x}\right) = \text{Beta}$$

$$p = q, \quad x \geq 1$$

[d]22:418

Called Fisher's F

[w]1:9

C(x)

[p]7:102

### 6.4 HOTELLING

$$D(x) = \frac{2}{B\left[\frac{1}{2}(p-q), \frac{1}{2}q\right](p-1)^{\frac{1}{2}q}} \frac{x^{q-1}}{\left[1 + \frac{x^2}{p-1}\right]^{\frac{1}{2}p}} \quad [4]238$$

For  $q=1$ , this is positive half of Student distribution,

hence called generalized Student

[1]409, [d]2:375

$D(x^2)$

[c]32:70

Mellin transform

[d]19:373

Percentage points, relation with Chi-square [d]27:1091

See also: [10]207, [c]25:399, [i]30:66, [d]9:235, [c]24:480,  
[c]4:174, [c] 24:487, [t]7:82



## 6.5 PARETO

$$D(x) = p/q(q/x)^{p+1} ,$$

[8]120

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{p}{p-1} q, \quad \xi = 2^{1/p} q$$

[1]248, [2]142

More generally

[d]7:26

Testing, location and dispersion

[t]7:115

As Type XI

[c]39:178, [17] No. 25

Ranking

[c]24:234,241,275

Double Pareto

Kendall and Buckland,  
A Dictionary of Stat.  
Terms.

See also: [ℓ]19:174, [h']1:149, [g]48:537, [i]8:76, [t]3:77,  
[y]13:30, MR13:962, Z23:63, C. R. Acad. Sci. Paris 233:1421,  
[ℓ]25:591, [w]4:147.

## 6.6 KENDALL

$$D(x) = \frac{re^{-(x-r)/\alpha}(x-r)^{x-1}}{\alpha^x \Gamma(x+1)} ,$$

[b]19:211, (cf.  
Borel-Tanner)

$$0 < r < x < \infty, \quad 0 \leq \alpha \leq 1,$$

$$m = \frac{r}{1-\alpha} , \quad v = \frac{r\alpha^2}{(1-\alpha)^3}$$



## 6.7 INVERSE GAUSSIAN

$$D(x) = \exp \left[ -\lambda(x-\mu)^2 / 2\mu^2 x \right] [\lambda / 2\pi x^3]^{\frac{1}{2}},$$

Introduction, moments, estimation

[d]28:362,696

## VII. DISTRIBUTIONS ON $(-\infty, \infty)$

### 7.1 TYPE VII

$$D(x) = \frac{(1+x^2/a^2)^{-m}}{aB(\frac{1}{2}, m-\frac{1}{2})}, \quad m > \frac{1}{2}$$

[2]142

Estimation

[c]36:412, [t]4:35

See also: [c]15:401, [c]36:412,167

### 7.2 STUDENT (r)

$$D(x) = \frac{\Gamma \left[ \frac{1}{2}(r+1) \right]}{\Gamma \left( \frac{1}{2}r \right) (\pi r)} (1+x^2/r)^{-\frac{1}{2}(r+1)}$$

[5]97, [2]17,  
[6]10.6, MR8:161,  
[14]47, [4]110,  
[10]186, [1]3:355,  
[18]1-162, [17]No. 29

Introduction, properties, examples

[15]388

$$v = \frac{r}{r-2}$$

[1]239



Type VII with  $m = \frac{1}{2} (r+1)$ ,  $a^2 = r$

"t" distribution

$$\alpha_{2k} = \frac{1.3 \cdot \dots \cdot (2k-1)r^k}{(r-2)(r-4) \cdot \dots \cdot (r-2k)} \quad [1]239, [10]208$$

Original paper in which this distribution was discovered [c]6:1

Ch(x), refs for  $r=3$  [17]No. 28

Ch(x) [b]18:212

Distribution of the ratio of a Chi-square variable to a normal variable [1]387, [4]110, [10]187  
[n]5:102

In bivariate normal samples

$$D\left(\frac{\sigma_1(n-1)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\sigma_2(1-\rho^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}} (b-\beta)\right) = \text{Student } (n-1) \quad [1]29.8$$

$$D\left(\frac{s_1(n-2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{s_2(1-r^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}} (b-\beta)\right) = \text{Student } (n-2) \quad [1]29.8$$

if  $\rho=0$

$$D\left[(n-2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{r}{(1-r^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}\right] = \text{Student } (n-2) \quad [1]29.7$$

C(x) [1]3:358, [c]25:389,  
[n]5:109, [c]37:168

D(x<sup>2</sup>) = Snedecor [6]217, [4]115



Transform to Type II	[c]28:308
$D(\bar{x})$	[n]8-4:92
As $r \rightarrow \infty$ , Student $\rightarrow N(0,1)$	[1]252, [3]101, [a]113:228, [d]27:783, Proc. A.M.S. 6th Symposium in Appl. Math. p. 251
Approximations	[d]7:210, [d]9:87, [d]17:216
$D(\log x)$	[c]34:176
Two Student variables	[c]22:405, [c]23:1
Used to test partial correlation	[10]256
$\sim$ significance levels	[d]14:60
Generalizations	[d]19:406, [d]25:162, [i]34:58
<u>See also:</u> [d]10:265, [d]18:89, [e]11:37, [e]12:89, [j]8:632, [c]33:362, [n]5:90, [c]32:271,300, [c]24:56,296, [i]33:138, [c]44:264, Brit. Assoc. Math. Tables (3rd Ed.) V.1 p xxxiii, J. Soc. Stat. Paris 92:262, MR18:834, Z4:67, [u]21:482,655, [w]1:9	



### 7.3 NORMAL REGRESSION SLOPE

$$D(x) = \frac{[\sigma_1^2 \sigma_2^2 (1-\rho^2)]^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}n)}{\sqrt{\pi} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}(n-1)) \sigma_1^{n-2} (\sigma_2^2 - 2r\sigma_1\sigma_2x + \sigma_1^2x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}n}} \quad [1]402$$

$$v = \frac{1}{n-3} \frac{\sigma_2^2}{\sigma_1^2} (1-\rho^2) \quad [2]365, [e]1:432$$

For  $\rho=0$ , can use Student distribution to test  $x$  [10]194

Stratified sampling [i]36:96

### 7.4 CAUCHY (p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{p}{p^2 + (x-q)^2} \quad [1]246, [5]35, [18]$$

$$Ch(x) = \exp[ qit - p|t| ] \quad [5]60$$

$q$  is the mode and median [5]58

there is no mean, or any moment

Quartiles are  $q \pm p$  [5]67

$\bar{x}$  is not a consistent estimate of  $q$  [5]105

$\bar{x}$  is a "density unbiased" estimate of  $q$  [d]25:400



There are no sufficient estimators	[3]48
C.-R.(q), C.-R.(p), C.-R.(p/q)	[e]8:205
Dist. of t and F statistics	MR13:665
Mean and variance of $\frac{1}{2}(x+y)$ , where x and y are respectively the kth values from the top and bottom of the sample $\frac{1}{2}(x+y)$ is not a consistent estimate of q	[1]373
<u>See also:</u> [d]17:2, [d]21:133	

## 7.5 CAUCHY (d,q)

$D(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{1+(x-q)^2}$	[6]117
q incorrectly asserted to be the mean $E(x)$ , $E(x^2)$ , $D(x+y)$	[p]7:165 [14]43
C.-R.(q) = 2/n	[1]490, [3]24, [p]7:159
$\text{Var}(\xi) \simeq \frac{\pi^2}{4n}$	[3]6
$D(\bar{x}) = D(x)$ , hence $\bar{x}$ not consistent	[3]2, [1]490, [u]22:702
$D(\xi)$	[3]46
MLE $\neq$ minimax	[16]64



MLE is solution of  $\sum \frac{2(x_i - q)}{1 + (x_i - q)^2} = 0$  [3]24, [p]7:169

Gauging [e]15:194

There is no sufficient estimator [9]6.16, [3]27, [p]7:162

There is no UMVUE [3]51

Information and estimation [e]8:315

Loss of information [3]32

Testing  $m = m_0$  [d]9:83, [d]13:65

Cauchys added MR17:863

See also: [b]9:61, [i]20:61, [g]51:641, [d]28:832, [w]1:9.

## 7.6 CAUCHY (p,0)

$D(x) = \frac{p}{\pi} \frac{1}{p^2 + x^2}$ ,  $Ch(x) = \exp -p|t|$  [9]275

Reproductive property [9]276

Information and estimation [e]8:316

Completeness [e]10:314

$D(\bar{x}) = D(x)$  [n]10-3:91



Truncated to  $(-p, p)$  [10]14

## 7.7 CAUCHY (1,0)

$D(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{1 + x^2}$  [8]167

$Ch(x) = \exp - |t|$  [2]95, [8]167,  
[1]246, [9]243,  
[17]No. 27, [s]213:718,  
[i]5:133,

Sample median [d]26:600

$D(\bar{x}) = D(x)$  [2]233,247, [w]1:73

From an example [8]33, [9]242

Moments [8]99

As distribution of ratio of two  
normal variables [10]159

$C(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \tan^{-1} x$

Censored sample [c]41:230

Wrapped-up Cauchy [d]26:245

See also: [d]22:425, [k]7:371, S.D. Poisson (1824) "Sur la  
Probabilité des résultats moyens des Observations", Connaissance  
des Temps ou Des Mouvements Célestes à l'usage des Astronomes et  
des Navigateurs, pour l'an 1827. Le Bureau des Longitudes, Paris.  
[d]22:418, MR3:232, MR9:235, MR5:124.



## 7.8 LAPLACE (m,v)

$D(x) = (2v)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp -\frac{ x - m }{\frac{1}{2} (2v)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$	[1]247, [5]35,67 [18]
$Ch(x) = \exp (mit) \cdot (1 + \frac{1}{2} vt^2)^{-1}$	[5]62
Mean and variance of average of greatest and least sample values	[1]375
A priori distributions of m,v	MR9:294
"Best" estimates of m and $\sigma$ are $\xi$ and $1/n \sum  x_i - \xi $ , but $\xi$ not sufficient	[5]147-8
Distribution of smallest sample value	[g]43:408
$D(\xi)$	[d]26:115
Quasi-range	[d]28:179
"Double exponential" distribution	Proc. Roy. Soc. Lond. (Series A) 154:124, [v]7:164
Convolution, estimation, generalization	Sobre la Primera Ley de Errores de Laplace, F. A. Sales Vallés, Thesis, Barcelona 1947.



LAPLACE (0,v), also called "Poisson's first [d]6:102  
law of error",  $D(|\bar{x}|)$ ,  $D(|x| - |y|)$ ,  
 $D(\log |x| - \log |y|)$ ,  $D(\sum x_1^2)$ ,  
 $D(GM)$ ,  $D(HM)$

Laplace if  $D(x)D(y) = \phi(|x| + |y|)$  MR10:125

See also: [n]10-3:80

LAPLACE (m,1), MLE [3]45

LAPLACE (0,1), [8]120, [9]279,  
[1]100

Sample Median [d]26:599  
 $\alpha_{2k} = (2k)!$  [d]5:32

See also: [d]22:425, [17]No. 38, "Laplace (1774), "Memoire sur  
la Probabilité des causes par les évènements"

## 7.9 FISHER (p,q)

$$D(x) = \frac{2p^{\frac{1}{2}p} q^{\frac{1}{2}q} e^{px}}{B(\frac{1}{2}p, \frac{1}{2}q)(q+pe^{2x})^{\frac{1}{2}(p+q)}}$$
 [1]243, [2]249,  
[14]48, MR8:161  
[1]3:355

'z' distribution

C(x) as a power series [1]3:360

Cumulants MR9:48, 735

Moments, cumulants [y]5:317



- Transform to Snedecor by [c]23:147
- $$y = e^{2x}; x = \frac{1}{2} \log q\chi_1^2/p\chi_2^2$$
- Various properties [d]12:429, [c]34:173
- $$\text{Ch}(x) = \left(\frac{q}{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}it} \frac{\Gamma\left[\frac{1}{2}(q-it)\right]\Gamma\left[\frac{1}{2}(p+it)\right]}{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}p\right)\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}q\right)}$$
- [3]116
- $\sim C(x)$  [d]28:504
- Obtained from two Chi-square variables [2]249, [d]7:52, [g]26:173
- Approximate significance levels, transformation to Normal [d]11:93
- Normal limit Am. Math. Monthly, 50:100
- Generalization [i]34:58
- Non-central [o]7:57
- See also: [e]2:423, [b]1:31, [a]94:284, [c]21:350, [c]34:352,359, [c]41:304, Am. Math. Monthly 50:100,382. Proc. Intl. Cong. Math. (1920)805, Current Science 1941, p. 191, [w]5:30, [p]6:183.



## 7.10 TYPE IV

$$D(x) = C(1+x^2/a^2)^{-m} \exp(-p \tan^{-1} x/a) \quad [11]69$$

(x - h) Type IV [3]48

Various constants with an example [11]69

Roots of quadratic in Pearson equation complex [11]44

$$\alpha_r = \frac{a}{2m-r-1} [(r-1)a \alpha_{r-2} - p\alpha_{r-1}] \quad [2]86,140,144$$

$a \neq 1$  [17]No. 52

See also: [d]7:21, [c]1:39, [c]3:312, [c]6:435, [c]7:74, [c]26:386

## VIII. MISCELLANEOUS UNIVARIATE

### 8.1 PEARSON

$$\frac{1}{D(x)} \frac{dD(x)}{dx} = \frac{a_0 + a_1 x}{b_0 + b_1 x + b_2 x^2}, \quad [d]2:394, [n]11-4:77$$

types listed with associated parameters

Differential equation for Ch(x) MR8:393

Ch(x) MR10:705

Original paper: Philosophical Trans.,  
1895.



First seven types treated in [11]

New classification [d]7:16

$D(\bar{x})$  [d]18:111, [n]8-4:51

Truncation, estimation [d]22:256, [c]40:50

Bivariate MR9:363,452

Flexes equidistant from mode, etc. [d]6:1

Bivariate generalization [v]3:273

Orthogonal Polynomials Ann. Soc. Cien.  
Argentina 155:3

Generalizations [d]5:124, [c]26:129,  
(cf No. 8.52),  
MR10:386, MR17:1095,  
[d]21:289, J.  
Gakugei Tokushima Univ.  
Math. 5:29, [n]12-2:95

Log Pearson distributions Intl. Cong. Math.  
(1950)1:580

Romanovsky's generalization [c]17:106, [c]18:221

See also: [d]8:18, [d]8:206, [d]20:461, [e]6:415, [c]7:127,  
[c]16:106, [c]16:198, [c]18:264, [c]20:389, [g]26(P):288,  
[a]85:488, [c]35:113, [c]32:81, [c]36:151, [c]38:4, [i]25:141,  
MR17:169,272, Z9:314, Z6:268, Z19:73, MR14:755,977, Intl.  
Cong. Math. (1950) 1:585.



## 8.2 BESSEL FUNCTION

Mahalanobis' Distribution ("D" distribution) [e]2:143,385,  
[e]3:105, [e]4:19,373,  
535, [e]8:167,  
[k]8:379, [14]246,  
MR4:23

Wilk's distribution of dispersion [e]3:26  
determinant, etc.

$D(\bar{x})$  MR5:42

Distribution of vector correlation [c]28:353

$D(x)$ ,  $Ch(x)$ , Moments in a special case MR14:775

Bivariate Gamma distribution [e]5:140

Distribution of the range [d]18:384, [d]21:133

Marginal total of Elfving's distribution [c]36:142

See also: [e]6:175, [e]8:235, [a]97:125, [a]98:89, [b]16:96,  
[c]21:168, [c]24:441, [c]24:485,492, [d]18:392, [c]24:39,  
[c]24:293, [17]Nos. 10,60,61,62,63,64, with  $Ch(x)$ , refs.  
[c]21:164, [c]24:293, [c]24:39, Several forms, J. Soc. Stat.  
Paris 96:262, [u]28:458, MR11:607, MR16:152



### 8.3 VARIANCE RATIO

$$D(x) = \frac{2(1-\rho^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)} x^{n-2} (1-4\rho^2 x^2 (1+x^2)^{-2})^{-\frac{1}{2}n}}{B[\frac{1}{2}(n-1), \frac{1}{2}(n-1)] (1+x^2)^{n-1}}, \text{ Bose, [2]365, [e]2:65}$$

For  $\rho = 0$ ,  $D[(2n-3)x^2] = \text{Hotelling } (2n-2, n-1)$

See also: [p]6:183, [p]7:98, [c]30:190, [c]31:9

### 8.4 KULLBACH

$$D(x) = \frac{n x^{np-1}}{\Gamma(n) [\Gamma(p)]^2} \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+nj+1} \left( \frac{d^{n-1}}{dt^{n-1}} \frac{x^{nt}}{\Gamma(t+1)} \right) t=j$$

Distribution of GM from Type III (1,p) [2]251

### 8.5 NONCENTRAL STUDENT

$D(x)$  [c]31:362, [18]1-162,  
[v]4:173, 307

Multivariate [v]4:331

Application [c]43:219

See also: [i]36(Suppl.):21, [r]1:28, J. Soc. Stat. Paris 96:262,  
MR15:46



## 8.6 CONTINUOUS LEXIAN

$$D(x) = \int_0^1 f(p) \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x} dp; \text{ parameters; } [i]31:1, [i]34:197$$

if  $f(p)$  is Beta,  $D(x)$  is hypergeometric

## 8.7 NONCENTRAL SNEDECOR

$$D(x) \quad [c]36:220, [18]1-163, [e]15:321$$

See also: [c]38:112, [i]36(Suppl.):33, [r]3:33

## 8.8 FISHER'S LOGARITHMIC SERIES

$$D(x) = \frac{k^x}{p \log \frac{1}{1-k}}, \quad x=1,2,\dots \quad [c]35:6,$$

(asserted to be multivariate) Cf. [c]37:358  
negative binomial (1,-m), No.3.5

## 8.9 RANK VARIATE

$$D(x) = \frac{N}{\sigma} \frac{n!}{(q-1)!(n-q)!} \left[ \exp - \frac{x}{\sigma} (n-q+1) \right] (1-e^{-x/\sigma})^{q-1} \quad [c]24:231, 239, [c]25:79$$

In special case called Yule's distribution, [c]42:23,425,  
MLE, [c]43:248

A Distribution of Type III median [p]7:153

## 8.10 GENERALIZED PARETO

$$D(x) = ax^{-n} \frac{1}{e^{b/x} - 1} \quad [1]6:184$$

$b=1, n=5, a=15/\pi^4$ , Planck's radiation  
function [17]No. 56



### 8.11 GHOSH

$D(x) = \frac{2}{\Gamma([k] + 1)} x^{[k]} e^{-x^2}$ , where  $[k]$  is the largest integer  $\leq k$ .

Furnishes counterexample to theorem [e]8:330  
on similar regions

### 8.12 RECTANGULAR GEOMETRIC MEAN

$D(x) = \frac{n^n x^{n-1}}{a^n \Gamma(n)} (\log a/x)^{n-1}$  [2]246, [d]5:276,  
[w]1:73

### 8.13 CAUCHY MEDIAN

$D(x) = \frac{(2m+1)!}{(m!)^2 \pi^{2m+1}} \left( \frac{\pi^2}{4} - [\tan^{-1}(x-k)]^2 \right)^m \frac{1}{1+(x-k)^2}$  [3]46

### 8.14 SPEARMAN'S RANK CORRELATION

$D(x)$  [c]30:256, [c]34:183,  
[c]38:131

$\sim D(x)$  = Type II, moments [c]40:409

### 8.15 CIRCULAR NORMAL CORRELATION

$D(x) = n(n-1) e^{-x^2/\sigma} (1 - e^{-x^2/\sigma})^{n-2} \frac{x}{\sigma}$  [c]39:139, [g]48:496



# 8.16 KOOPMAN

$D(x) = Q(k) R(x) \exp k H(x)$ , most general [3]24, [d]23:403,  
distribution admitting a sufficient estimate [c]36:71, Trans Am.  
of k Math. Soc. 39:399,  
[p]7:162

# 8.17 VON MISES DISTRIBUTION

$f(x) = C \exp k \cos (x-a)$  Physikal. Zeitschr  
19:490

' Circular Normal ' [g]48:131, [g]49:53,268,  
[c]43:344, [d]26:233,  
[c]43:344

# 8.18

Family of distributions having all [d]11:402  
moments equal

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{6} e^{-x^{\frac{1}{2}}} (1-p \sin x^{\frac{1}{4}}) \quad 0 \leq x < \infty, \quad 0 \leq p \leq 1$$

$$\alpha_k = \frac{1}{6} (4k+3)!$$

# 8.19

Family of distributions having all [d]11:402  
moments equal

$$D(x) = e^{-\frac{1}{4}} \pi^{-\frac{1}{2}} x^{-\log x} [1-p \sin(2\pi \log x)]$$

$$\alpha_k = \exp \left[ \frac{1}{4} k(k+2) \right]$$



## 8.20

"Non-null  $t^2$  distribution", involving a hyper-geometric function [14]48

## 8.21

$D(x) = \frac{\text{sech}^{k-2} x}{B(1, k-2)}$ , the distribution of  $\tanh^{-1} r$  in samples from a bivariate normal distribution with zero means and zero correlation [b]15:213, [b]9:61

Ch(x), also special cases and refs [17]Nos. 53-5

$D(\Sigma x_i)$  for  $k=3$  Z9:219

## 8.22

$D(x) = \frac{1}{2a} \text{sech}^2 \left( \frac{x-m}{a} \right)$ , connected with lognormal [e]12:122

Called 'logistic',  $Ch(x) = \pi x \text{sech} \pi x$  when  $m=0, a=2$  [v]7:163

Distribution of  $t$  and  $F$  statistics MR13:665

## 8.23

Distribution of the correlation ratio, involving series [a]97:121, [c]24:441



8.24

Various distributions of the form  
exp (- quartic polynomial)

[d]4:1, [d]4:79,  
[d]19:589

Giving an example where no minimum  
variance estimator exists

[e]12:43

MLE

[c]31:188, [a]98:114

8.25

$k(1 + x^x)^{-m}$

[2]52

Ch(x)

[2]67

8.26

$D(x) = b \sin 2(a + bx)$

[b]9:61

8.27

Normal multiplied by an eighth degree  
polynomial

[a]106:361

8.28

$D(x) = (\frac{1}{4}h + \frac{1}{4}h^2|x|) e^{-h|x|}, D(\bar{x})$

[n]10-3:90

For  $h=1$ ,  $Ch(x) = (\frac{1}{1+x^2})^2$

[n]10:75, [17]No. 39



8.29

Miscellaneous distributions given in terms of  $C(x)$  [d]13:217, Math. Tables and Other Aids to Computation 5:109, [g]50:209

8.30

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{2} k (1 + |x|)^{-k-1}$$

[1]225 No. 2,

$k$  negative

[c]33:126

$$k = 1+p$$

[c]36:93, [17] No. 17, generalization No. 18

8.31

$$D(x) = k \exp(-ax^p) [1 + q \sin(bx^p)]$$

[2]106

8.32

Various distributions formed from rational functions of  $x$ , rational functions multiplied by  $e^{-1/x}$ ,  $e^{-x}$  and  $\exp(-\tan^{-1}x)$

[d]1:137

8.33

$$D(x) = (e^2 + |x|)^{-1} [\log(e^2 + |x|)]^{-2},$$

having a pathologically long tail

[d]17:11



### 8.34 WEIBULL

$$D(x) = ab x^{b-1} \exp(-ax^b),$$

$$x \geq 0, a > 0, b > 1$$

[g]43:408, [17]No. 44

Moments of order statistics

[d]26:330

### 8.35

$$D(x) = k \sin^m x \cos^n x$$

[c]30:182

$n=0$ , value of  $k$ ,  $Ch(\cos x)$

Philos. Magazine Ser.  
7, 39:70

### 8.36

$$D(x) = 2h \pi^{-1} (1 + h^2 x^2)^{-2}$$

[n]10-3:77

### 8.37

$$D(x) = 2h \pi^{-1} (e^{hx} + e^{-hx})^{-1},$$

$$D(\bar{x})$$

'PERKS'

[n]10-3:90,  
[d]26:153, [v]7:159,  
J. Inst. Actuar. 63:12

### 8.38

$$D(x) = (2 \pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \frac{x}{k} [\exp(-\frac{1}{2}(x-k)^2) - \exp(-\frac{1}{2}(x+k)^2)] \quad [2]387$$

### 8.39

Four distributions formed by multiplying  
the normal distribution by a polynomial,  
used to illustrate kurtosis

[g]40:259



## 8.40 EXTREME VALUE

- $D(x) = a \exp [-a(x-m)] \exp [-\exp(-a(x-m))]$  [d]17:299
- Gumbel Distribution
- Determination of constants C.R. Acad. Sci. Paris  
222:34
- Estimation, MLE [d]24:282,
- Bias [d]27:758
- Moments called "Fisher-Tippett  
Type I",  $Ch(x)$ , cumulants, [18]1-144
- For  $m=0$ ,  $a=1$ ,  $Ch(x) = \Gamma(1-ix)$ ,  
References [17]No. 43, [u]24:180,  
Connection with No. 2.3 [v]4:8, [g]50:518,  
[g]42:408
- Special cases [r]1:4
- $\sim D(x)$  [u]24:180, [g]43:403
- With slight modification J. Hygiene 42:328
- $\sim D(x)$  is distribution of log  
survival time
- Application, U.S. Dept. Agric.  
ARS 41:13, Ann. Inst.  
Henri Poincare 4:115,  
5:115, J. de Physique  
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Soc, 23:95, C.R. Acad.  
Sci. Paris 246:49, 237:  
512, Nature 175:270,  
Cong. Intl. Math.1936,  
2:200, [a]99:732, [w]8:97  
NBS Appl. Math. Ser. No.  
33.



8.41

$$D(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^2}, \quad Ch(x) = e^{-|x|} (1-|x|), \quad [n]10:75, [17]No. 30$$

8.42

$D(x+y)$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  obey various trivial distributions [d]5:16

8.43

$$D(x) = C x^{-1} (1 + p/x)^{-2} \quad [d]6:106$$

8.44

$$D(x) = \frac{a+1}{2a} (1-|x|^a), \quad -1 < x < 1 \quad [17]No. 15$$

8.45

$$D(x) = \frac{\lambda^a}{\left(1 + \frac{c}{\lambda^b}\right)^n} e^{-\lambda x} x^{a-1} \sum_{j=0}^n \binom{n}{j} \frac{c^j x^{bj}}{\Gamma(bj+a)}, \quad [17]No. 36$$

$$0 < x < \infty, \quad \lambda > 0, \quad c \geq 0, \quad b \geq 0, \quad a > 0, \quad n=1, 2, \dots,$$

$Ch(x)$ , References

8.46

$$D(x) = (x-k)x^n e^{-ax} \quad [g]42:572$$

8.47 STEVENS-FISHER

$$D(x) = \sum \binom{n}{j} (-1)^j (1-jx)^{n-1} \quad [k]9:315, [k]10:14, [4]203$$

Compare No. 5.16 and No. 8.70



8.48

$$D(x) = C \exp(ax^b - cx), \quad 0 < x < 1 \quad [d]25:641$$

8.49

$$D(x) = C \exp[-a(b - x)^{-c}] \quad [d]25:645$$

8.50

$$D(x) = \frac{a}{2\sqrt{1/a}} e^{-|x|^a}, \quad -\infty < x < \infty, \quad a > 0 \quad [i]5:133, [g]26(\text{Suppl.}-H)227 \\ [17]\text{No.40}$$

MLE [u]45:542

8.51

Distribution of non-normal correlation [c]38:224

8.52

$$D(x) = C \left[ \frac{p - x^2}{q + x^2} \right]^{\frac{m}{p+q}}, \quad -\sqrt{p} < x < \sqrt{p} \quad [17]\text{No.31}$$

Value of  $C$ , references

Hansmann's distributions, obtained from [c]26:129  
a generalized Pearson differential equation

8.53

$$D(x) = (k/x) \exp[-ax - \frac{b}{x}] \quad [17]\text{No.48}$$

Called "Type Harmonique" C.R. Acad Sci. Paris  
213:634



8.54

$$D(x) = \frac{a}{\sqrt{\pi}} e^{2a\sqrt{b}} \frac{1}{x^{3/2}} e^{-bx} - \frac{a^2}{x} \quad [i]23:101$$

$$Ch(x) = \exp [2a(\sqrt{b} - \sqrt{b-1t})] \quad [17]No.50$$

8.55

$$D(x) = \frac{a^p |r|}{\Gamma(p)} x^{rp-1} e^{-ax^r}, \quad 0 < x < \infty, \quad a > 0, \quad [17]No.51$$

$p > 0$

8.56

$$D(x) = (a - 1)^2 \frac{\log x}{x^a}, \quad 1 < x < \infty, \quad 1 < a \quad [17]No.57$$

8.57

$$D(x) = - [L(b^{1-a}) x^a \log x]^{-1}, \quad b < x < \infty, \quad [17]No.58$$

$b > 1, \quad b > 1, \quad \text{and}$

$$L(u) = \int_0^u \frac{dv}{\log v}, \quad u \geq 0$$

8.58

$$D(x) = -(a + 1)^2 x^a \log x, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad a > -1 \quad [17]No.59$$



8.59

A generalization of the hypergeometric distribution based on the Whittaker function

[17]No.65

$$x^{m+\frac{1}{2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} {}_1F_1(m+\frac{1}{2}-k, 2m+x; x)$$

D(x), Ch(x), references

8.60

$$D(x) = C \frac{e^{-(x^2/2a^2)}}{b^2 + x^2}, \text{ moments, Ch}(x),$$

[v]2:293, [v]3:139

Limiting cases (Cauchy, Normal)

8.61

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}$$

[v]2:328

8.62

D(x) where A + Bf(x) is (a) Normal, or  
(b) Laplace and f(x) is (i) log x,  
(ii)  $\log \frac{x}{1-x}$ , (iii) arcsinh x

[c]36:149, [v]5:283

8.63

$$D(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - e^{-\mu NT}, & x = N \\ (1 - e^{-\mu T}) \exp[-\mu T(x-1)], & x = N+1, N+2, \dots \end{cases}$$

N = 1, 2, ...,  $\mu > 0$ , T > 0



# 8.64

Garwood's distribution of length  
of gaps in traffic

[b]7:65, [g]46:117,  
[c]38:384

# 8.65 MATCHING

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{x!} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} - \dots + \frac{(-1)^{n-x}}{(n-x)!} \right]$$

[a]118:390, MR18:18:346,

Generalization

[4]210

# 8.66

Cigarette card distribution

[a]118:391

# 8.67

Cubic polynomial over a finite range,  
estimation

[g]50:196, [d]26:505,591

# 8.68

$$D(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{mn}{m+n} x^{m-1}, & 0 < x < 1 \\ \frac{mn}{m+n} x^{-n-1}, & 1 \leq x < \infty \end{cases}$$

[g]50:1137

Moments, etc.



8.69

$$D(x) = \begin{cases} mn (m - n)^{-1} x^{n-1} (1 - x^{m-n}), & m \neq n \\ n^2 x^{n-1} \log(1/x), & m = n \end{cases} \quad [g]50:1142$$

Moments

8.70

$$D(x) = \frac{n^n}{(n-1)!} \sum_{j \leq nx} (-1)^j \binom{n}{j} \left(x - \frac{j}{n}\right)^{n-1}, \quad [d]26:713$$

$0 \leq x \leq 1$

Compare No. 5.16 and 8.47

8.71

$$D(x) = \frac{(r-1)! (r-x)}{x! r^{r-x}}, \quad x = 0, 1, \dots, (r-1) \quad [b]19:339$$

Moments, approximations

8.72 ARFWEDSON

$$D(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} (x - j)^n (-1)^j \binom{x}{j} \quad [i]34:121$$

8.73 STEVENS - CRAIG

$$D(x) = C n^{(x)} \sigma_S^x, \quad \sigma_S^x \text{ being Stirling's number of second kind} \quad [k]8:57, [c]40:173$$

Generalization

[w]7:203.

8.74

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{4} + x^4, \quad -1 < x < 1 \quad [m]6:120$$



### 8.75 ISING-STEVENSON

$$D(x) = \frac{\binom{m-1}{x-1} \binom{m+1}{x}}{\binom{m+n}{m}}$$

Zeit. f. Physik 31:253,  
[k]9:10, [d]11:370,  
[t]4:171, [w]8:55,

### 8.76

$$D(x) = \frac{1}{\pi \sqrt{m^2 - x^2}}$$

Am. of Math. 27:18

### 8.77

$$D(x) = \frac{x^{-2/3}}{3 \sqrt{2} \pi} e^{-\frac{1}{2} (x^{1/3} - b)^2}$$

Ann. of Math. 27:19

### 8.78 NEGATIVE HYPERGEOMETRIC

$$D(x) = \binom{n}{x} \frac{B(p+x, q+n-x)}{B(p, q)}$$

[b]10:257, Proc. Intl.  
Stat. Conf. Rome 1953  
paper 71.

Obtained by assuming binomial  
probability to obey Beta

### 8.79

$$D(x) = k(1 \pm x)^{-2} \text{ over various ranges}$$

[d]22:425

### 8.80

$$D(x) = (n-1) \left(1 - \frac{1}{x}\right)^{n-2} \frac{1}{x^2}, x \geq 1$$

[d]22:425



8.81

$$D(x) = \frac{-\log x^2}{\pi^2(1-x^2)}, \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$

[d]22:425

8.82

$$D(x) = \frac{a^{-(a-bx)^2/2cx}}{\sqrt{2\pi cx^3}} \quad \text{Called 'inverse Gaussian'}$$

Nature 155:453, [u]43:41,  
Virginia J. Sci. (New  
Series) 7:160

Written

$$D(x) = \frac{\exp\left(\frac{-c(x-m)^2}{2m^2x}\right)}{\left(\frac{c}{2x^3}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

[d]28:362, 696

$$D(x) = k x^n e^{-x^2+ax}, \quad \text{called "Halphen",}$$

Publ. Inst. Statist.  
Univ. Paris 4:38

8.83

$$D(x) = a(\alpha, \beta) / [\exp(\alpha^2 x^2) - \beta]$$

MR16:381

8.84

$$D(x) = a \exp [-k^2 \log^2 \rho]$$

Z10:313

where

$$\rho = \frac{(x-x_0)(x_2-x_1)}{(x_2-x)(x_1-x_0)}$$



8.85

$$\text{Ch}(x) = \frac{1}{\cosh t}, \frac{t}{\sinh t}, \frac{1}{\cosh^2 t}$$

MR11:443

8.86

$$D(x) = \frac{2\lambda (\lambda+1)}{(x+\lambda-1)(x+\lambda)(x+\lambda+1)}$$

[e]18:353

$$\lambda > 0, \quad x=1,2,\dots, \quad m=1+\lambda, \quad v = \infty$$

8.87

$$D(x) = \frac{N!n!}{\prod_{i=0}^n x_i! (i!)^{x_i}}$$

[s]5:161

8.88

$$D(x) = \frac{c e^{cx}}{(1+e^{cx})^2}$$

[s]1:55, [s]3:133

Hyperbolic Error distribution

A discrete distribution from an urn model

[d]22:452, [w]7:173

## IX. MISCELLANEOUS BIVARIATE

### 9.1 CAUCHY BIVARIATE

$$D(x,y) = \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{(1+x^2+y^2)^2}$$

[5]45

$$D(x,y) = \frac{1}{2\pi} (1+x^2+y^2)^{-3/2}$$

[w]8:235

### 9.2 STUDENT BIVARIATE

$$D(x,y) = (2\pi)^{-1} (1-r^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left( 1 + \frac{x^2 - 2rxy + y^2}{n(1-r^2)} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}(n+2)}$$

Tables

[c]22:408, [c]41:154

If  $x, y$  independent

[3]92



### 9.3 POISSON BIVARIATE

Discussion

[2]136, [f]7:414,  
[c]39:196, Psych.  
Bull. 47:434, Proc.  
Edin. Math-Soc. IIs  
4:18

Special case obtained from binomial

[i]17:98

### 9.4

Lognormal bivariate

[c]22:130, [d]4:30

### 9.5

Normal-lognormal

[d]4:30

### 9.6 BINOMIAL BIVARIATE

$$Ch(x,y) = (a \exp(ix+iy) + be^{ix} + ce^{iy} + d)^n \quad [2]133$$

$$\text{If } a=0, D(x,y) = \frac{k!}{x! y! (k-x-y)!} p^x q^y (1-p-q)^{k-x-y}, \text{ etc.}$$

[i]17:92, [i]19:209

See also: [i]36:74, MR14:995, Z18:154, MR13:665

### 9.7 GAMMA BIVARIATE

$$MGF(x,y) = [ (1+x)(1-y) - xyr^2 ]^{-P}$$

[e]5:140, [c]25:158,  
MR3:171



### 9.8 GAMMA-NORMAL

$$\text{MGF}(x, y) = (1-x)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \exp\left[\frac{1}{2} y^2 \left(1 + \frac{xy^2}{1-x}\right)\right] \quad [e]5:144, [c]25:132$$

### 9.9 HYPERGEOMETRIC BIVARIATE

$$D(x, y) = \frac{\binom{a}{x} \binom{b}{y} \binom{c}{k-x-y}}{\binom{a+b+c}{k}}, \text{ various properties} \quad [i]17:104, [c]16:172, [c]22:140$$

Moments

Ganita 5:97, Koninkl.  
Nederl. Akad (A)  
60:124

### 9.10 NEGATIVE BINOMIAL BIVARIATE

Various properties

[i]17:100

$$D(x, y) = \frac{p^p}{(p+2m)^p} \frac{1}{\Gamma(p)} \frac{\Gamma(x+y+p)}{\Gamma(x+1)\Gamma(y+1)} \left[\frac{m}{p+2m}\right]^{x+y} \quad [c]41:79$$

$$\text{correlation} = \frac{m}{p+m}, \text{ regression etc.}$$

Polya-Eggenberger

MR11:605

### 9.11 ELFVING

$$D(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} x \exp(-x \cosh y), \text{ connected} \quad [c]34:111, [c]36:142$$

with  $\sim D(\text{range})$

### 9.12

$$D(x, y) = C e^{-ax - by} (1-x+y)^p (1+x-y)^q \quad [c]14:355$$

Rhodes surface

[c]22:134, [c]41:550



9.13

$$D(x,y) = (1+x/a)^m (1+y/b)^n (1 - \frac{x+y}{c})^q,$$

Filon-Isserlis surface

[c]15:222, [c]16:180

9.14

$$D(x,y) = (xy)^k (x-y) [(1-x)(1-y)]^n$$

[c]31:226, [k]9:245

9.15

$$D(x,y) = \frac{x^{n-2} (1-y^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-4)}}{(1-2rxy+y^2)^{n-1}}$$

[2]365

9.16

$$D(x,y) = n^{-2} \frac{n!}{[(k-1)!]^2 (n-2k)!} (x/n)^{k-1} (y/n)^{k-1} (1-x/n-y/n)^{n-2k}$$

$$x > 0, \quad y > 0, \quad x+y < n, \quad 2k < n$$

As  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $x, y \rightarrow$  independent Type III(1,k)

Special case,  $k=0$

[d]7:149

9.17

$$D(x,y) = C x^{\frac{1}{2}(n-3)} (y-x)^{\frac{1}{2}(k-n-2)} \exp -\frac{1}{2} (k-1)y,$$

$D(x/y) = \text{Beta}$

[b]1:213

9.18

Uniform bivariate, triangular bivariate

[c]24:382, [v]5:322



9.19

Gram-Charlier bivariate

[c]36:177

9.20

The fifteen constant surface,  
(quartic polynomial) .  $e^{-Q}$

[c]17:268

9.21

Pearson's Student-like surfaces

[c]15:234, [c]18:229,  
[c]22:137

9.22

$D(x,y) = x + y, \quad D(x + y)$

[8]94

9.23

Normal-negative binomial

[k]13:289

9.24

Edgeworth surface

[c]38:220, [c]17:314

9.25

Raleigh bivariate:

Electrical Engineering  
November 1954, p. 1004

9.26

Discussion of 'possible' bivariate distributions,  
Narumi's system

[c]15:77,209,222

Generalization

[c]22:109



## 9.27 VON MISES-FISHER DISTRIBUTION

Generalization of No. 8.17

Proc. Roy. Soc.  
Lond. Ser. A 217:295,  
[c]43:344

9.28

Beta Bivariate

[v]2:261

9.29

$$D(x,y) = k \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}(ax^2+2bxy+cy^2)}}{m^2 + (ax^2+2bxy+cy^2)} \quad [v]3:153$$

9.30

$$D(x,y) = k [1-a^2x^2 - b^2y^2 + 2abxy]^n, \quad [v]3:273$$

$n+1>0, \quad r^2<1,$

9.31

$$D(x,y) = k \exp [-Q(x,y)] \cdot [h^2+Q(x,y)]^n \quad [v]3:273, [v]5:323$$

9.32

Defined over (0,0)(0,1)(1,0) from urn  
model

[v]3:328

9.33

'Correlation by common factor' surface

[c]24:288



9.34

Johnson's system; ten surfaces  
obtained by Translation

[c]36:297

9.35

Nine surfaces with Pearson or Bessel  
marginal distributions

MR5:126

9.36

$$D(x,y) = C[(x-1)!(h-x)!(y-1)!(k-y)!]^{-1}$$

Hoel, Intro. to  
Math. Stat. 180

9.37

Type III bivariate, with discussion and  
calculation of  $D(r)$

[e]7:159

9.38

$$D(x,y) = \frac{1}{4} (1+kxy), \quad |k| \leq 1, \quad -1 \leq x, y \leq 1$$

[w]8:234

X. MISCELLANEOUS MULTIVARIATE

10.1 WISHART TRIVARIATE

$$D(x,y,z) = \frac{n^{n-1} (xy-z^2)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-4)}}{4\pi \Gamma(n-2) M^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)}} \exp\left(-\frac{n}{2M} (v_2 x - 2\mu z + v_1 y)\right),$$

$$\mu = \rho\sigma_1\sigma_2, \quad M = v_1 v_2 (1-\rho^2)$$

[1]397, [3]330  
[4]226



$$\text{Ch}(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{A}{A^*}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)}$$

$$\text{where } A = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{nv_2}{2M} & \frac{\mu n}{2M} \\ -\frac{\mu n}{2M} & \frac{v_1 n}{2M} \end{vmatrix} \quad \text{and } A^* = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{nv_2}{2M} - is & \frac{\mu n}{2M} - it \\ -\frac{\mu n}{2M} - it & \frac{v_1 n}{2M} - iu \end{vmatrix}$$

Moments and cumulants

[3]334

As distribution of normal bivariate  
variance-covariance

[c]10:510,

[c]21:164, [c]27:230

See also: [k]9:243, [u]44:295, J. Soc. Stat. Paris 96:262,  
[u]29:264, [a]92:580

## 10.2 WISHART MULTIVARIATE

$$D(x_{ij}) = K_{kn} A^{(n-1)} X^{(n-k-2)} \exp(-\sum a_{ij} x_{ij}),$$

where  $X = |x_{ij}|$ ,  $A = |a_{ij}|$  and

$$K_{kn} = \pi^{\frac{1}{2}k(k-1)} \left[ \Gamma\left(\frac{n-1}{2}\right) \cdots \Gamma\left(\frac{n-k}{2}\right) \right]^{-1}$$

[4]226, [3]331,

[1]391-4, [14]66,

[i]30:151, [u]29:260,

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$$\text{Ch}(x_{ij}) = \left(\frac{A}{A^*}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}(n-1)},$$

where  $A^* = |a_{ij} - i\epsilon_{ij}t_{ij}|$  and  $\epsilon_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & i=j \\ \frac{1}{2}, & i \neq j \end{cases}$



Reproductive property	[4]232
Various properties	[c]20:32, [i]24:185
Non-central Wishart	Proc. Roy. Soc. Lond. Ser. A. 229:364

See also: [d]3:197, [d]15:345, [d]17:409, [d]19:262, [e]3:25, [a]97:120, [c]24:476, [c]36:59, [k]9:244, [c]38:470, [i]36:17, [u]35:336, MR10:387, [b]17:79.

### 10.3 MULTINOMIAL

$D(x_1, \dots, x_k) = \frac{n!}{\prod (x_i!)} \prod (p_i^{x_i})$	[6]58, [2]290, [7]124, [18]1-160
$MGF(x_1, \dots, x_k) = (p_1 e^{x_1} + \dots + p_k e^{x_k})^n$	[4]51
$E(x_i) = np_i, \quad \text{Var}(x_i) = np_i(1-p_i)$	[4]52, [14]35
Moments	Bull. Amer. Math. Soc. 41:857
Introductory article with applications	[15]36
PGF	[18]1-146
Chi-square test	[e]13:2, [c]36:118, [15]739
Information and estimation	[e]8:325



- MLE [e]18:139
- Distinguishing between two multinomials, asymptotic form [e]7:401
- Trivariate [7]146, [d]21:420
- Bivariate multinomial [d]23:547, Rev. da Fac. de Ciencias de Lisboa 2 Serie (A) 2:197
- See also: [d]8:127, [d]21:416, [e]11:367, [d]25:772, [d]28:861, [f]13:451, [t]2:84, Am. Math. Monthly 53:59, Koninkl. Nederl. Akad. (A) 60:121, Z8:122, MR17:56, MR16:839, MR13:665.

#### 10.4 TYPE X MULTIVARIATE

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_n) = C e^{-x/b} \text{ where } x = \sum x_i^2 \quad [c]41:54$$

#### 10.5

Gamma multivariate [e]11:45

#### 10.6 STUDENT MULTIVARIATE

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_p) = \frac{A^{\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma[\frac{1}{2}(n+p)]}{(n\pi)^{\frac{1}{2}} p \Gamma(\frac{1}{2}n)} \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{n} \sum a_{ij} x_i x_j \right]^{-\frac{1}{2}(n+p)},$$

- Student for  $p=1$  [c]41:153, MR16:602
- See also: [w]9:143



### 10.7 CAUCHY MULTIVARIATE

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_n) = C(a^2 + x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} s^{-\frac{1}{2}}, \text{ where } x^2 = \sum x_i^2 \quad [c]41:54, MR16:51$$

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_n) = C_n (1 + \sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2)^{-\frac{(n+1)}{2}} \quad [w]8:235$$

### 10.8 SPHERICAL

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_n) = (2\pi)^{-\frac{1}{2}n} r^{-\frac{1}{2}n+1} \int_0^\infty \rho^{\frac{1}{2}n} J_{\frac{1}{2}n-1}(\rho r) Ch(\rho) d\rho,$$

$$\text{where } r = \sqrt{\sum x_i^2}, \quad \rho = \sqrt{\sum t_i^2} \quad [c]41:45$$

### 10.9 POISSON MULTIVARIATE

Derivation

[e]11:120, [d]28:466,  
[i]37:1

Without correlation, Multiple Poisson

$$D(x_1, \dots, x_n) = \exp - (k_1 + \dots + k_n) \frac{k_1^{x_1} \dots k_n^{x_n}}{x_1! \dots x_n!} \quad [7]127, [e]19:210, Z12:113, 410$$

### 10.10 BINOMIAL MULTIVARIATE

$$MGF(x_1, \dots, x_n) = (1 + \sum p_i x_i + \sum p_{ij} x_i x_j + \dots)^N \quad [e]11:119, Z12:113, 410$$

D(x), etc., in special case

[i]18:271

### 10.11

Negative binomial multivariate

[i]18:274, [i]19:211,  
Koninkl. Nederl. Akad.  
(A)60:121



10.12

Multinomial multivariate

[c]36:47

10.13

Hotelling Multivariate

[k]9:258, [x]7:70

10.14

Multivariate distributions obtained from  
the Normal multivariate

[i]27:235, [i]28:20

10.15

Generalization of No. 9.14

[k]9:245

10.16

Generalization of No. 8.3

[k]11:136

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[g]	Journal of the American Statistical Association
[h]	Nordisk Statistisk Tidskrift
[h']	Nordic Statistical Journal
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[n]	Metron
[o]	Annals of the Institute of Statistical Mathematics
[p]	Journal of the Institute of Actuaries Students' Society
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1920	83		13				17		3
1921	84		13				17		4
1922	85		14				18	1	5
1923	86		14-15				18	2	6
1924	87		16				19	3	7
1925	88		17				20	4	8
1926	89		18				21	5	9
1927	90		19				22	6	10
1928	91		20A, B				23	7	11
1929	92		21				24	1	12
1930	93		22	1			25	2	13
1931	94		23	2			26	3	14
1932	95		24	3			27	4	15
1933	96		25	4	1		28		16
1934	97	1	26	5	1		29		17
1935	98	2	27	6	2		30		18
1936	99	3	28	7	2		31		19
1937	100	4	29	8	3		32		20
1938	101	5	30	9	3-4		33		21
1939	102	6	31	10	4		34		22
1940	103	7	32	11	4-5		35		23
1941	104	7	32	12	5		36		24
1942	105		32	13	6		37		25
1943	106		33	14	6		38		26
1944	107		33	15	6		39		27
1945	108		33	16	7	1	40		28
1946	109	8	33	17	7	2	41		29
1947	110	9	34	18	8	3	42		30
1948	111	10	35	19	9	4	43		31
1949	112	11	36	20	9	5	44		32
1950	113	12	37	21	10	6	45		33
1951	114	13	38	22	11	7	46		34
1952	115	14	39	23	12	8	47		35
1953	116	15	40	24	12-13	9	48		36
1954	117	16	41	25	13-14	10	49		37
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1928	7	3			7		3		
1929	8				8		3		
1930	9	4			8		3		
1931	10	4			9		3		
1932	11	5			9-10		4		
1933	12	5	1		10-11		4		
1934	13	6	2		11-12		4		
1935	14	6	3		12		4		
1936	15	7	4				4		
1937	16	7-8	5				5		
1938	17	8	6				5		
1939	18	9	7				5		
1940	19	10	8		14				
1941	20	11	9		14				
1942	21	11	10						
1943	22	12	11						
1944	23	12	12						
1945	24	12	13				5		
1946	25	13	14				6		
1947	26	13-14	15				6-7		
1948	27	14	16				7-8		
1949	28	14	17		15	1			
1950	29	15	18			2		4	
1951	30	15-16	19		16	3			1
1952	31	16-17	20	1		4		5	1-2
1953	32	17-18	21	2	17	5		5	2-3
1954	33	18-19	22	3		6			3
1955	34	19-20	23	4		6-7		6	4
1956	35	20-21	24	5		7-8		6-7	4
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1933			29				1		5-7
1934			30				2		8-10
1935			31				3		10-12
1936			32				4		12-15
1937			33				5		15-17
1938			34				6		17-19
1939			35				7		19-21
1940			36				8	1	21-23
1941			37					2	23-24
1942			38					3	
1943			39					4	
1944			40				12	5	
1945			41				13	6	
1946			42				14	7	
1947		1	43				15	8	
1948		1	44			1	16	9	
1949	3	2	45		1		17	10	
1950	4	2-3	46	1	2	2	18	11	
1951	5	3-4	47	2	3	3	19	12	
1952	6	4	48	3	4	4	20	13	
1953	7	4-5	49	4	5	5	21	14	
1954	8	5	50	5	6	6	22	15	
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**Chemistry.** Organic Coatings. Surface Chemistry. Organic Chemistry. Analytical Chemistry. Inorganic Chemistry. Electrodeposition. Molecular Structure and Properties of Gases. Physical Chemistry. Thermochemistry. Spectrochemistry. Pure Substances.

**Mechanics.** Sound. Mechanical Instruments. Fluid Mechanics. Engineering Mechanics. Mass and Scale. Capacity, Density, and Fluid Meters. Combustion Controls.

**Organic and Fibrous Materials.** Rubber. Textiles. Paper. Leather. Testing and Specifications. Polymer Structure. Plastics. Dental Research.

**Metallurgy.** Thermal Metallurgy. Chemical Metallurgy. Mechanical Metallurgy. Corrosion. Metal Physics.

**Mineral Products.** Engineering Ceramics. Glass. Refractories. Enameled Metals. Concreting Materials. Constitution and Microstructure.

**Building Technology.** Structural Engineering. Fire Protection. Air Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration. Floor, Roof, and Wall Coverings. Codes and Safety Standards. Heat Transfer.

**Applied Mathematics.** Numerical Analysis. Computation. Statistical Engineering. Mathematical Physics.

**Data Processing Systems.** SEAC Engineering Group. Components and Techniques. Digital Circuitry. Digital Systems. Analog Systems. Application Engineering.

• Office of Basic Instrumentation.

• Office of Weights and Measures.

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**Cryogenic Engineering.** Cryogenic Equipment. Cryogenic Processes. Properties of Materials. Gas Liquefaction.

**Radio Propagation Physics.** Upper Atmosphere Research. Ionospheric Research. Regular Propagation Services. Sun-Earth Relationships. VHF Research.

**Radio Propagation Engineering.** Data Reduction Instrumentation. Modulation Systems. Navigation Systems. Radio Noise. Tropospheric Measurements. Tropospheric Analysis. Radio Systems Application Engineering. Radio Meteorology.

**Radio Standards.** High Frequency Electrical Standards. Radio Broadcast Service. High Frequency Impedance Standards. Calibration Center. Microwave Physics. Microwave Circuit Standards.

